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DISTILIED LIQUORS, 1925 and 1926.

Ottama, April, 1928. A report on the distilled liquor industry in Canada for the years 1925 and 1926 is herewith presented, covering the operations of 16 individual plants in 1925 and 15 in 1926, located by provinces as follows.

| Provinces | 1925 | 1926 | Increase or <br> Decreag $5_{5}$ over |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ontario | 4 | - |  |
| Quebec | 7 | 4 | - |
| British Columbia | 3 | 6 | - |
| Manitoba | 2 | 3 | - |
| Total, Canada | 16 | 2 | 1 |

Principal Statistics
A sumary of the principal statistics of the distilled liquor industry in Canada. is given in Table 1 ccmpared for the calendar years 1925 and 1926.

Table 1.- Principal Statistics compared for 1925-1926.

|  |  | 1925 | 1926 | Increase <br> Decrease |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Establishments | No. | 16 | 15 | - |
| Capital | \$ | 24,506,712 | 26,422,006 | + 1,915,294 |
| Employees on salaries | No. | 130 | 136 |  |
| Salaries | \$ | 274,233 | 312,087 | + 37.854 |
| Employees on wages; (average No. | No. | 704 | 879 |  |
| Wages | \$ | 775.752 | 975.035 | + 199,283 |
| Cost of fuel | \$ | 268,476 | 368,780 | f 100,304 |
| Power installation - Units | No. | 372 | 420 | $7 \quad 48$ |
| Capacity | H.P. | 8.351 | 8,242 | - 109 |
| Cost of materials | \$ | 3,212,010 | 3,676,197 | t. 464,187 |
| Gross value of products | \$ | 9,897,863 | 12,216,906 | + 2,319,043 |
| Net value of products | \$ | 5,685,853 | 8,540,709 | $+1,854,856$ |

## Production Statistics

Tables 2 and 3 give the statistics of the distilled liquor industry in Canada by provinces for the calendar years 1925 and 1926 respectively. In order to avoid giving individual information it has been found necessary to combine the statistics of Manitoba and British Columbia in all tables of the report. The total production of spirits for the calendar year 1925 amounted to $5,792,863$ proof gallons, while in the calendar year 1926 it had risen to $7,318,320$ prodif gallons an increase of $1,525,457$ gallons or 26.33 per cent. Potable spirits increased from 3,924,100 proof gallons in 1925 to $4,179,242$ procf gallons in 1926 or 6.5 per cent whilst the production of industrial and comercial alcohols rose from 1,848,002 gallons in 1925 to $3,139,278$ gallons in 1926 or a percentage increase of 69.87

The province of ontaric produced 63.36 per cent of the total output of spirits in 1925 and 58.90 per cent in 1926. The value of production in the riguor distilleition industry in Conada amounted to $\$ 9,897.863$ in the calendar year 1925 and to $\$ 12,216,906$ in 1926.

## Size of Establishments

The tendency towards ecncentration in industrial enterprise is exemplified in a series of tables which present in a threefcld way the size of establishments in the Distilled Iiquor industry measured by (a) capital investment, (b) gross value of production and (c) emplcyment all within certain specified groups or limitaticns for the calendar years 1925 and 1926. The tables further serve to indicate the movement of capital, production and emplcyment within the industry.

In 1925 the number of establishments repcring was 16 with a tital capital investment of $\$ 24,506,712$, a total gress value of production of $\$ 9,897,863$ and a total emplcyment of 834 perscnc. Of the total number of establishments 6 had an investment of $\$ 20,852,255$ cr 85 per cent of the total and an average capital investment per establishment of $\$ 3,475,376$. In griss value of production 5 establishments had a ccmbined cutput of $\$ 7,996,184$ or 80 per cent of the tetal gross producticn and ar. average production of $\$ 1,599,237$ per establishment. In emplcyment 4 establishments had a combined payroll of 577 perscns or nearly 70 per cent of the total employment and an average employment per establishment of almost 145 persons.

In 1926 the number of ostablishments repcrting was 15 with a total capital investment of $\$ 26,422,006$, a tetal gress value of production of $\$ 12,216,906$ and a total empleyment of 1,015 persons. Of the totalnusw of establishments 7 had a combined capital investment of $\$ 22,832,211$ or 86.4 per cent of the total invested in the industry and an average investment per establishment of $\$ 3,261,744$. In gross vaiue cf production 5 establishments had a combined cutput of $\$ 9,638,335$ or almest 80 per cent of the total gross value of output and an average output per establishment of $\$ 1,927,667$. The total emplcyment was 1,015 of which 3 establishments had a combined payroll of 588 persons or an average of 196 per estabiishment.

| Groups of value of capital | 1925 |  |  | 926 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Estab- } \\ & \text { lish- } \\ & \text { ments } \end{aligned}$ | Capital <br> investod | Average Capital | Estabments | Capital invested | Average Capital |
|  |  | \$ | \$ |  | \$ | \$ |
| \$50,000 tc under \$ 100,000 | 2) |  |  |  |  |  |
| \$100,000 tc under \$200,000 | 1) | 322,444 | 107,481 | I | - |  |
| \$200,000 tc under \$500,000 | 4 | 1,405,858 | 351,464 | 12 | 1,783,554 | 356,710 |
| \$500,000 to under \$1,000,000 |  | 1,926,155 | 642,051 | 3 | 1,806,241 | 602,080 |
| \$1,000,000 and over | 6 | 20, 852,255 | $3,475,376$ | 7 | 22.832,211 | 3,267,744 |
| Tatal | 16 | 24, 506.712 | 1,537.669 | 15 | 26.422.006 | 6.767.467 |

(b) Gress value of production in establishments grouped according tc value, 1925 \& 1926.

| Groups of value of production | 1925 |  |  | 1926 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Estab- } \\ & \text { lish- } \\ & \text { ments } \end{aligned}$ | Gross <br> Value of Production | Average Value of predilic. |  | Gross Value of Prnducting | Average Value of praduc. |
|  |  | \$ | \$ |  | \$ | \$ |
| Under \$50,000 | 3 | 99.921 | 33.307 | 1 |  | - |
| \$50,000 to under \$100,000 | 1) |  |  | 1) |  |  |
| \$100,000 tc under \$200,000 | 3) | 547,320 | 136,839 | 1 2) | 298,189 | 99.396 |
| \$200,000 tc under \$500,000 | 4 | 1,254,438 | 313,609 | 17 | 2,280,382 | 325,769 |
| \$500,000 to under \$1,000,000 | 1) |  |  | 2) |  |  |
| \$1,000,000 and over | 4) | 7.996.1.84 | 1.299.231 | ] 3) | 9.638 .335 | 927.667 |
| Tetal. | 1.6 | 0.897 .863 | 618,616 | - 15 | 2,216,906 | 814,460 |

(c) Employees in establishments grcuped by number, 1925 and 1926.

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Table 2.- Froduction ky previnces, calendar year 1925

| Principal Preducts |  | Cunada |  | Ontaric |  | Quebec |  | Other Profinces 1/ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | quantity | Value $\dot{v}$ | रuantity | Value | duantity | Value | Quantity | $\begin{gathered} \text { Value } \\ i \end{gathered}$ |
| Whiskies and cther potalle spirits | Froof galler. | 3,924,100 | 8,478,777 | 2,762,376 | 5,855,674 | 905,140 | 2,012,181 | 256,584 | 610,922 |
| Non-potable alcohol | " | 1,848,002 | 1,144,808 | 908,245 | 684,497 | 761,131 | 359,058 | 178,62 6 | 101,253 |
| Distiller's grains \&c. | = | - - | 98,577 | - | 78,346 | 761.131 | 11,729 | 178, | 8,502 |
| Deratured alcchol | gallen | 249,829 | 157,718 | - | - | 187,716 | 117,258 | 62,113 | 40,460 |
| Fusel oil | n | 599 | 1,019 | - |  | 599 | 1,019 | - | - |
| All other products | - | 5 | 16,964 | - | 14,859 | - | $1,016$ | - | 1,089 |
|  | Total | - | 9,897,863 | - | 6,633,376 | - | 2,502,261 | - | 762,226 |

If Includes - Whanitoba 2, Britisk Columbia 3.

Table 3. - Production by provinces, calendar year 1926

| Principal Preducts |  | Canada |  | Ontario |  | Quebec |  | Other Provinces 2/ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Quantity | Viaue | Quantity | Value | Quantity | Value | Quantity | Value |
| Whiskies ard cther petable spirits | Froof gallon | 4,179,442 | 10,160,396 | 2,473,039 | 7,162,698 | 1,159,081 | 1,877.282 |  |  |
| Non-potable alcohol | " | 3,139,278 | 1,692,081 | 1,837:562 | 906,537 | 864:320 | 471,330 | 437.396 | $314,214$ |
| Distiller's grains ic. | - | - - | 160,366 | , . | 61,888 | - | 64:53.5 | - | $33: 963$ |
| Donatured Alcohol | gallon | 272,420 | 174,602 | - | - | 205,042 | :29,501 | 67,378 | 45,101 |
| Fusel oil |  | 6,044 | 6,044 | 6,044 | E-044 | , | - | , | , |
| All other products | - | - | 23,417 | - | - | - | 2,459 | - | 20,958 |
|  | Tctal | - | 12,216,906 | - | 8,137,167 | - | 2,545,087 | - | 1,534,652 |

[^0]Capital employed in the industry aumine the calendar years 1925 and 1926 is :hown as far as permissible jy provinces in Tables 4 and 5. Fixed capital comprising ind, buildings, machinery and toois winicl in 1925 anouited to $\$ 8,693,134$, increased tc $\$ 8,856,650$ in 1926 the small increase deing cue to one plant having ceased operation in 1926. Similarly, the itcms includec undor the head of morking capital rose from a total of $\$ 15,813,578$ in 1925 to $\$ 17,505,356$ in 1926. The increase of fixed capital was therefore l. per cent and of roricing capital ll. 1 per cent.

In this distribution of cavital br zeovinces Ontario in 1925 occupied first place with over 76.2 per cent of the total investiment winch fell to about 70 per cent in 1926.

The total capital employed increased from $\$ 24,506,712$ in 1925 to $\$ 26,422,006$ in 1926 or approximately 8 per cent.

| Provinces | Fized Capital Morking Capital |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Lends, buildings. fixtures, machin $\dagger$ fery and tocls | hinterials on hand, stocks in process | Cash trading ind operating accounts \&c. | Total Capital |
|  | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| Canada | 8,693,134 | 9.739,876 | 6,073.702 | 24,506,712 |
| Onteric | 5,835,250 | 7,697,227 | 5,158,552 | 18,691,029 |
| Quebec | 1,740,561 | 1,187,164 | 688,821 | 3,616,846 |
| Other provinces ${ }^{\text {/ }}$ | 1,117, 323 | 855.182 | 226.329 | 2.198.837 |

Table .- Capita, employed by provinces, 1926.


1/ Includes Lanitoba and British Columbia.

## Trployment Statistics

Tables 6 to 10 present employment statistics under 3 heads. Table 6 gives the numbers at employment by sex and renuneration by provinces for each year covered by the repcrt. Table 7 shows the number of wage eerners emplcysd by months according to sex together with the tctals and averages for eacis ycar, able 8 gives the operating time of plants and employees with averages for each, ad tables 9 and 10 the hours of labour of employees.

The number of persons on salaries and wages increased from 710 males and 124 females in 1925 to 810 males and 205 fcmales in 1926, whilst the total payroll increased from $\$ 1,049,985$ in 1925 to $\$ 1,287,122$ in 1925 , that is the total number employeu showed an increase of 21.7 per cent, whilst, salaries and wages increased by almost 13.06 per cent. The overage wage paid in 1925 to employees regardless of sex was $\$ 1,101.90$ mich in 1926 had increased to $\$ 1,109.10$ or : 65 per cent.

Table 6 .-Frmplorees, galaries and wages, 1925-J9?6.

| Trovinces | Employees on Salaries |  |  | mriovecs or Wages |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Fotal employoes on } \\ & \text { Saiaries and } \\ & \text { sages } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Male | Female | Salaries | Male | Femalc | Wages | Male | Female | Tages |
| $\frac{1925}{\text { Canada }}$ | 105 | 25 | $27 \frac{\$}{14,233}$ | 605 | 99 | $\begin{gathered} \$ \\ 775,752 \end{gathered}$ | 710 | 124 | $\begin{gathered} \$ \\ 1,049,985 \end{gathered}$ |
| Ontaric | 60 | 18 | 177.397 | 418 | 81 | 560,079 | 478 | 99 | 737,476 |
| Queboc | 25 | 3 | 57,3,2 | 20: | 7 | 142,587 | 135 | 10 | 199,919 |
| other provinces | 20 | 4 | 29,50) | 79 | 11 | 73,086! | 92 | 15 | 112,590 |
| 1926 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Canada | 110 | 26 | 3ic, 087 | 100 | 179 | 975.03; | 810 | 935 | 1,287,122 |
| Ontario | 63 | 19 | 162,755 | 456 | 214 | 634,935. | 513 | 133 | 797.691 |
| Quebec | 24 |  |  | 124 | 29 | 199,005. | 178 |  | 274.31 |
| Other provinces | 23 |  | $7+02$ | 124 | < 25 | 140, 43 \% | 1.3 | 20 | 215,115 |

The number of employees in each month of the year is given by sex in the table belolv. The months of highest employment in 1925 were December, January and Pebruncy then respective totals of 828,873 and 772 persons were employed, while the month of lowest employment was August with a total of 554, the average for the your being 714. In 1926 the months of highest employment were November and December With totals of 949 and 1,015 persons respectively, whilst the month of lowest employment was August with a total of 732 , the average for the year being 879.

The average emplament by months in the tables of this report is the sum of the avonages of individual plants, based on the number of months in actual operation and not the average for the calendar year.


The table folloring shows the number of days that plants mere in operation during each yeer on (a) full-time (b) part-time and (c) idle. The average operating time of each rlant whether on full or part time rose from 262.94 तays in 1925 to 268.47 days in 1926. The hours of labour per day of each employee averaged 8.76 hours in 1925 as against 8.70 hours in 1926 with averace hours per wook of 52.81 in 1925 and of 52.20 in 1926.

| Irumber of ustablishmonts in operation | 1925 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 16 |  | 15. |  |
|  | Total | Averace | Total | Averase |
| Days in operation on Pull-time | 3,831 | 259.44 | 3,772 | 251.47 |
| " " " "Part-time | 376 | 23.50 | 255 | 17.00 |
| Days idle | 657 | 41.06 | 533 | 35.53 |
| Number of hours worked by woge-earners per day or shift | 19,608 | 8.76 | 9,461 | 8.70 |
| Nrumber of hours worked by wage-earners eer week | 845 | 52.81 | 783 | 52.20 |

The number and percentage of wage-earners in the month of highest employment working specified hours is shown in table 9 for the calendar years 1925 and 1926 by provinces. It will be observed from reference to the table that the prevailing hours of labour in Ontario and the other provinces was the eight hour day, fhereas in Quebec it was the 10 hour day. the percentages of hours of labour shoms an increase in the 8 hour day from 60.80 in the Dcminion in 1925 to 62.13 in 1926 and in the 9 hour day from 4.65 to 9.01 , whilst those working a 10 hour day fell from 32.45 to 26.01 .

Table 9.- Hours morked by wage-earners in month of highest emploument, $1925 \& 1926$.

| Provinces | Number of wage-earners in month of highest employment workine per day of - |  |  |  | Percentage of rage-earners worling por day of .. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 8 hours pr iess | ? hours | 10 hours | bover 10 hours | 8 hours or less | 9 hours | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \\ & \text { hours } \end{aligned}$ | cuer 10 hcurs |
| $\frac{1925}{\text { canada }}$ | 667 | 51 | 356 | 23 | 60.80 | 4.65 | 32.45 | 2.10 |
| Ontar:o <br> Quebec <br> pther previnces | $\begin{array}{r} 508 \\ 22 \\ 77 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ 4 \\ \hline 5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 246 \\ 98 \\ +\quad 12 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} - \\ 15 \\ 8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 69.78 \\ & 15.00 \\ & 54.22 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} - \\ 4.26 \\ 37.70 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 30.22 \\ 59.50 \\ 8.45 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10.54 \\ 5.63 \\ \hline \end{array}$ |
| $\frac{1920}{\operatorname{canada}}$ | 676 | 98 | 283 | 31 | 62.13 | 9.01 | 26.01 | 2.85 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Ontaric } \\ & \text { Quebec } \\ & \text { cther previnces } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 487 \\ 43 \\ 146 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 40 \\ 48 \\ 10 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 152 \\ 127 \\ 4 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4 \\ 15 \\ 12 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 71.30 \\ & 1.35 \\ & 84.05 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5.86 \\ 20.61 \\ 5.81 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 22.26 \\ 54.50 \\ 2.33 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & .58 \\ & 6.44 \\ & 6.98 \end{aligned}$ |

The number of houre worked per day in the month of highest employment and the standard moming hours per reek are shown by provinces in Table 10. It should We noted that whilst the statistics relating to hours of labour in columns 1, 2 and 3 are based on figures compiled for the month of highest employment, those in columns 4 and 5 represent the total and average of statard meekly hours of labour for the number of establishments reporting to the Bureau. For this reason the relation betreen daily and woekly hours of labour is to some extent impaired. The average daily hours of labour on the above basis were for the Dominion 8.76 in 1925 and 8.70 in i326, whilst the average siandard weekly hours morked out at 52.81 and 52.20 per plant for the respoctive year.

Table 10.- Eours of labcur per day and per week. 1925 and 1926.

| Provinces | Total hours and number of wageearners for month of highest amployment |  |  | Standard working hours per week |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total hours | Total wageearners | Average hours per day per -rage-earners. | Total | Averages |
| $\frac{1925}{\text { cinada }}$ | 9.608 | 1,097 | 8.76 | 845 | 52.81 |
| Ontario | 7,004 | 814 | 8.60 | 188 | 47.00 |
| Quebec | 1,375 | 141 | 9.75 | 411 | 58.71 |
| Other provinces | 1.229 | 242 | 8.65 | 246 | 49.20 |
| 1926 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Canada | 9,461 | 1,088 | 8.70 | 783 | 52.20 |
| ontario | 5,820 | 683 | 8.52 | 201 | 50.25 |
| Quebec | 2,211 | 233 | 9.49 | 342 | 57.00 |
| Other provinces | 1,430 | 172 | 8.31 | 240 | 48.00 |

## Tuel Consumption

Tho consumption of fuel in the industry is shown by classes, quantity and cost value for each of the years covered by this report in table ll. Bituminous coal is the principai fuel used and represented nearly 95 per cent of the total cost of all fuel in 1925 and 94 per dent in 1926.

The total cost of fuel rose from $\$ 268,476$ in 1925 to $\$ 368,780$ in 1926 being an incresse of 37.36 per cent.

Table 11.- Fucl Consumption, 1925-1926.

| Kinds of fucl | Unit of ineasure | 1925 |  | 1926 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Quantity | Cost Value | Quantity | Cost Value |
| Bituminous Coal | Ton | 44,351 | 254,521 | 58,440 | 346,736 |
| Anthracite Coal | : | 1,514 | 10,825 | 2,513 | 16,639 |
| Coke | " | - | , | - | - |
| $0 i 1$ (fucl) | Go. 1. | 46,410 | 3,130 | 40,460 | 2.353 |
| Other fucl |  |  |  | , | 3.052 |
|  | Total | - | 268,476 | - | 368.780 |

## Poter Equipment

Porer equipment in the industry is shown in table 12 by (a) the number of units in each class and ( 0 ) by the horse power capacity according to the manufactuter's rating. The number of power units increased frem 310 in 1925 to 349 in 1926, whilst the horse pover capacity dedreased irom 7,206 in 1925 to 7,093 in 1926. Steam engines and turbines were the principal power producers in both years tith $5.053 \mathrm{~h} . \mathrm{p}$. and $4,105 \mathrm{~h} . \mathrm{p}$. respectively. Wlectric motiors driver by purchased pewer increased from $2,148 \mathrm{~h} . \mathrm{p}$. in 1985 to 2,763 , in 1926, llotors cperated by power generated by the establishment increased from 62 with $1,1+5 \mathrm{hnp}$. in 1925 to 71 with $1,149 \mathrm{~h}$. p. in 1926. These figures, homever, aro not inciucied in the tutals of power equipment to avoid duplication.

Tavle le. - Po:rer Equipment, 1925 and 19 c 5.


Materials Used
The quantity of the principal materials used in the industry such as grains and molasses and also the totai cost of all materials used is shown in Table 13, by provinces for the calendar years 1925 and 1926. The cost value of all materials in 1925 amounted to $\$ 3,212,010$ and in 1926 to $\$ 3,676,197$, an increaso due to the greater production of spirits in the lattor yonr.

Table 13. - Materials used, 1225 and 1926.
1925

| Frovincos | Grains <br> Lb. | Molasses <br> Lb. | Total Cost of all matçrials |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ontario <br> Quebce | $\begin{array}{r} 37,626,801 \\ 5,137,954 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15,919,520 \\ & 22,088,126 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,120,914 \\ 746,777 \end{array}$ |
| British Columbia) <br> Manitoba ) |  | 1.695 .525 |  |
| Canad: Totals | 49,185,358 | 39,703,171 | 3,212,010 |
|  | 1926 |  |  |
| Provinces | Grains <br> Lb. | Molasses Lb. | Total Cost of all Materials \$ |
| Ontaric Quebec Mox:toba \& Br. Columbia | $\begin{array}{r} 41,256,282 \\ 9,418,012 \\ 13,946,808 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 35,202,140 \\ 26,967,529 \\ 2,901,673 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,251,133 \\ 846,377 \\ 578,687 \\ \hline \end{array}$ |
| Canada Totals | 64,621,102 | $65,071,342$ | 3,676,197 |

## Imports of Distilled Liquors

The Imports of distilled liquors for consumption in Canada during the calendar years 1925 and 1926 are shown by quantity and value in table 14 by principal countries. The increase in quantity in 1926 was 234,225 gallons and the increase in value \$4,442,941. Of the increased gallonage, whiskies accounted for 143,670 , brandy for 34,979, ran for 21,470 and gin 15,774. In value, whiskies represented $\$ 3,202,622$ of the total increase, rum $\$ 582,694$ and gin $\$ 532,694$. Nearly 99 per cent of imperted Whiskies came from the United Kingdom as well as 66 per cent of imported rum and 72 per cent of gin. 97 per cent of imported brandy came from France and about 46 per cent of tho imports of vermouth. The other principal countries from which distilled liquors were importod, were the Netherlands for gin, Italy for vermouth and Jamaica for rum.

Table 14.- Imports of Distilled Liquors for the Calendar Iears, 1925-1926.


## Experts. Distilided Liouors, 1925 and 1926

The quantity and value of distilled liquors, the produce of Canada, experted to certain spocified countries during the calendar years 1925 and 1926 is presented in table 15. The total value of distilled liqucrs exported in 1925 amountod to $\$ 13.519,-$ 482 and in 1926 to $\$ 18,870,228$. Exports of gin rose from 3,810 gallons in 1925 to 15,628 gallons in 1926, Whiskey from 1,110,031 gallons to $1,550,902$ gallons and other potable spirits from 18,055 to 43,681 gallons.

Tablc 15.- Experts of Distilled Liqucrs by Quartity and Value, 1925 and 1926.

| Srticles exported by Countries | 1925 |  | 1226 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Quantity | Value | Quantity | Value |
|  |  | \$ |  | \$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Totals | 3.810 | 57.186 | 15,628 | 213.500 |
| Whiskey - |  |  |  |  |
| United Kingdom ............. Gal. | 23.765 | 79.987 | 32.756 | 152.898 |
| United States ............... " | 665,89610 | 0,772,988 | 983,1521 | 15,475,270 |
| Chiner Br. West Indies ......... | 11,920 | 64,924 | 7.73 | 392 |
| Honduras | 168,50211 | 1,042,311 | 65.886 | 318,465 |
| Salvador | ${ }^{28.191} 1$ | 181,672 | 8,983 | 44,352 |
| St.Picrre - Miquelon | 14,531 | 115,248 | 26,518 | 142,830 |
| Other Countries ............ | 36,497 | 234,331 | 37.402 | $\begin{array}{r} 52,893 \\ 168,936 \end{array}$ |
| Totals ....... | 1,110,03113,334,992 |  | 1,550,902 $13,433,796$ |  |
| Other Potable Spirits, n.o.p. - <br> United Kingdom ............... Gal. <br> United States ................ ${ }^{m}$ <br> Other Countries .............. | $\begin{array}{r} 7.435 \\ 10.620 \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} - \\ 107,382 \\ 19.922 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,342 \\ & 11,780 \\ & 13,559 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 45,869 \\ 142,912 \\ 34,151 \end{array}$ |
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|  | 18,055 | 127.304 | 4?, 81 | 222.932 |
| Grand Total of Exports, | 1,131, 896 | 13,519,482 | 1,610,211 | 18,870,228 |
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## Consumption

Statistics of consumption of distilled liquors for bevorage purposes by the usual rethods of making such calculations (production plus imports less exportg) is not practicable as the production in any year does not bocome immediately avaliable for consumption being sent to bonded warehouses where it remains for a pericd of at least two years before it can be released for consumption. The quantitios thus cvailable for consumption comprises the following items which for the fiscal years cnded March 31st, 1926 and 1927 were:-


Molchers Distillery Co. Ltd.,
The Distillers Corporation Ita.
Commercial Alcohols Ltd.
Dominion Distillery Products Co. Ltd. Federal Alcohol Distillery Itd.

Liontreal Products Co. Itd.,

Canadian Industrial Alcohol Co. Itd.,
Gooderham \& Worts Ltd.,
Hiram Walker \& Sons, Ltd. ,
Joseph E. Seafram \& Sons Ltd.,

Consolidated Distilleries of Manitoba Ltd.,
National Distillers, Itd.,

United Distillers Limited.
British Columbia Distillery Co. Itd.,
Consclidated Distilleries It .,

Berthierville, Que.
La Salle, "
Montreal, "
Montreal. "
Montreal, "
Montreal, "

Corbyville, Ont.
Toronto, "
Wakerville, "
Waterloo, "

St.Boniface, Man.
St.Boniface, "

Marpole, B.C.
New Westminster, B.C.
Granville Island, Vancouver. B.C.


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