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Ottawa, March 22, 1932, 4 p.m. The Dominion Bureau of Statistics published to-day its annual report on numbers and values of farm live stock and poultry.

NUMBERS AND VALUES OF LIVE STOCK

For all Canada, the average values per head of live stock are estimated as follows, with the averages for 1930 within brackets: Horses \$50 (\$61); milch cows \$43 (\$59); other cattle \$25 (\$35); total cattle \$33 (\$45); sheep \$5 (\$7); swine \$7 (\$15);

The total numbers and values of farm live stock in Canada for 1931 are as follows, with the figures for 1930 within brackets: Horses 3,128,996, \$155,908,000 (3,295,000, \$202,013,000); milch cows 3,513,000, \$150,090,000 (3,683,000, \$218,822,000); other cattle 4,478,000, \$110,933,000 (5,254,000, \$182,263,000); total cattle 7,991,000, \$261,023,000 (8,937,000, \$401,085,000); sheep 3,608,000, \$18,596,000 (3,696,000, \$25,275,000); swine 4,716,720, \$32,773,000 (4,000,000, \$58,852,000).

The total value of these descriptions of farm live stock in 1931 amounts to \$468,300,000, as compared with \$687,225,000 in 1930. By provinces, the total values are as follows, with the 1930 figures within brackets: Prince Edward Island \$5,523,000 (\$8,837,000); Nova Scotia \$12,607,000 (\$19,446,000); New Brunswick \$12,822,000 (\$16,072,000); Quebec \$88,473,000 (\$136,470,000); Ontario \$151,904,000 (\$218,393,000); Manitoba \$36,825,000 (\$53,741,000); Saskatchewan \$76,213,000 (\$112,846,000); Alberta \$67,229,000 (\$94,065,000); British Columbia \$16,704,000 (\$27,355,000).

NUMBERS AND VALUES OF FARM POULTRY

The average values per head for Canada of each description of farm poultry in 1931 are estimated as follows, the averages for 1930 being given within brackets: Hens and chickens \$0.60 (\$0.82); turkeys \$1.88 (\$2.31); geese \$1.53 (\$1.84); ducks \$0.85 (\$1.04). For all Canada, the numbers and values of farm poultry in 1931 are estimated as follows, with the 1930 figures within brackets: Hens and chickens 61,572,000, \$36,908,000 (56,247,000, \$46,149,000); turkeys 2,232,000, \$4,198,000 (2,399,000, \$5,547,000); geese 904,000, \$1,385,000 (1,160,000, \$2,131,000); ducks 760,000, \$647,000 (989,000, \$1,025,000).

By provinces, the total values of all descriptions of farm poultry are as follows, the estimates for 1930 being given within brackets: Prince Edward Island \$794,000 (\$1,002,000); Nova Scotia \$1,044,000 (\$1,100,000); New Brunswick \$1,136,000 (\$1,125,000); Quebec \$6,657,000 (\$8,909,000); Ontario \$15,551,000 (\$22,794,000); Manitoba \$3,659,000 (\$4,454,000); Saskatchewan \$5,837,000 (\$6,448,000); Alberta \$4,881,000 (\$5,464,000); British Columbia \$3,579,000 (\$3,556,000). For the whole of Canada, the total value of all descriptions of farm poultry is estimated at \$43,136,000 in 1931, as compared with \$54,852,000 in 1930.

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