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PRELIMINARY REPORT ON CONDENSED MILK AND MILK POWDER
PLANTS, CANADA, 1929.

Number of Establishments.- The number of condenseries in operation in Canada in 1929 was 30, distributed by provinces as follows: Ontario, 27; Nova Scotia, 1; and British Columbia, 2. Ontario had two more establishments than in 1928, while British Columbia had one less.

Production.- The total value of production of the factories in 1929 amounted to \$14,686,802, an increase over the preceding year of \$525,496. The principal items of production in 1929 were evaporated milk with a value of \$5,042,291, condensed milk, including condensed skim milk value, \$3,149,132, and milk powder and skim milk powder, value \$1,651,320. The quantity of evaporated milk made shows an increase over the preceding year of two million pounds, while slight decreases are recorded for condensed milk and milk powder.

Exports.- The value of concentrated milk products exported in 1929 was slightly greater than in 1928, the totals for the two years being as follows: 1928, value \$3,497,601; 1929, value, \$3,650,117. The exports in 1929 included condensed milk, value, \$1,981,736; evaporated milk, value, \$1,012,753; milk powder, value, \$630,872, and casein, value, \$24,756.

Imports.- The value of imports of concentrated milk products in 1929 amounted to only \$101,206, divided as follows: condensed milk, value, \$40,022; and casein, value, \$61,184.

TABLES

The following tables give the principal statistics of the industry for the years 1928 and 1929, and the production by items for the same years. The statistics of production shown in this preliminary report cover the products of condenseries only and do not include the small quantities of condensed milk, milk powder, etc., made in creameries.

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Office of the Secretary of the Interior
Department of the Interior

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter of the 10th inst.

concerning the above.

The Bureau has reviewed the matter and is pleased to advise you that the same has been referred to the proper authorities for their consideration.

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Sincerely,
Secretary

Very truly yours,
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1. General Summary of Statistics of Condenseries, Canada, 1928 and 1929.

	1928	1929
Establishments No.	29	30
Capital..... \$	8,422,489	9,190,753
Employees No.	846	874
Salaries and wages \$	1,053,555	1,117,465
Milk delivered at factory.. lb.	413,114,679	429,106,790
Cream delivered at factory lb. of butter fat ...	564,013	501,542
Amount paid to patrons for milk \$	7,398,890	7,766,315
Amount paid to patrons for cream \$	247,876	206,730
Total value of Products ... \$	14,161,306	14,686,802

2. Production of Condenseries, Canada, 1928 and 1929.

Kind	1928		1929	
	Quantity	Value \$	Quantity	Value \$
Condensed milk	Lb. 26,909,857	2,857,910	25,183,749	2,684,168
Condensed skim milk	" 6,365,829	385,687	7,698,150	464,964
Evaporated milk	" 51,436,967	4,796,599	53,784,525	5,042,291
Evaporated skim milk	"	122,800	3,684
Milk powder	" 2,314,490	578,088	2,167,133	533,844
Skim milk powder	" 11,227,823	1,099,367	11,561,888	1,117,476
Cream powder	" 114,835	57,599	115,614	59,281
Buttermilk powder	" 227,629	18,210	231,797	18,544
Casein	" 25,908	3,892	84,684	17,363
Condensed coffee	" 250,347	44,682	247,833	43,768
Butter	" 651,253	268,706	740,610	294,560
Cheese	" 98,762	20,740	96,500	17,370
Whey butter	" 2,750	963	2,100	630
Ice cream	Gal 27,354	38,212	30,592	46,006
Milk sold	" 2,498,935	663,107	3,583,243	812,203
Cream sold, lb. butter fat	5,911,421	3,145,232	6,190,615	3,312,096
Other products	-	182,312	-	218,554
Total Value of Products	-	14,161,306	-	14,686,802

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