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PRELIMINARY REPORT OF THE PRODUCTION OF DAIRY FACTORIES OF CANADA, 1924.

Creamery Butter: The quantity of creamery butter made in Canada in 1924 was 184,290,908 pounds, valued at \$63,449,160. This production is the largest for any year in the history of the industry and exceeds the production of 1923 by over 21 million pounds. The value of the production shows an increase over that of the preceding year of 6 million dollars, and almost equals the value for the record year of 1920, the greater value in that year being due to the high average price per pound - 57 cents, compared with 34 cents in 1924.

Factory Cheese: The production of cheese totalled 151,673,880 pounds, valued at \$24,518,734. Compared with the preceding year an increase of 49,504 pounds is shown in the quantity, but a decrease of over 4 million dollars in the value. The average price per pound was 16 cents in 1924 and 19 cents in 1923.

Condensed Milk Products: The total value of all condensed milk products of dairy factories in 1924 was \$9,710,017, a decrease from the preceding year of \$330,301. Comparisons with 1923 for the various items show increases in the production of condensed milk, milk powder and skim milk powder, and decreases in the production of condensed skim milk, evaporated milk and casein.

The miscellaneous products of dairy factories comprise whey butter and ice cream, and cream, whole milk, whey cream and buttermilk sold. The total value of these products in 1924 was \$26,465,559, an increase of nearly 2 million dollars compared with the preceding year.

The total number of dairy factories in operation in Canada in 1924 was 2,998 and the total value of production was \$124,143,470. This is a decrease of 9 in the number of factories and an increase of \$4,023,080 in the value of product, compared with 1923.

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR

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1. Production of Creamery Butter, by Provinces, 1924.

	Quantity Lb.	Value \$	Average Price per lb. cents.
Prince Edward Island	1,358,381	497,100	36.60
Nova Scotia.....	4,139,469	1,502,793	36.30
New Brunswick.....	1,155,108	437,602	37.88
Quebec.....	65,596,627	23,325,897	35.55
Ontario.....	59,954,581	20,742,843	34.60
Manitoba.....	12,632,814	4,160,707	32.94
Saskatchewan.....	13,493,670	4,363,250	32.34
Alberta.....	22,288,888	7,044,628	31.61
British Columbia.....	3,671,370	1,374,340	37.43
TOTAL.....	184,290,908	63,449,160	34.43

2. Production of Factory Cheese, by Provinces, 1924.

	Quantity lb.	Value \$	Average Price per lb. cents.
Prince Edward Island.....	2,048,937	322,597	15.74
Nova Scotia.....	34,475	5,939	17.23
New Brunswick.....	942,220	155,003	16.45
Quebec.....	41,661,813	6,643,326	15.95
Ontario.....	104,219,238	16,907,561	16.22
Manitoba.....	596,237	101,887	17.09
Saskatchewan.....	138,631	24,199	17.46
Alberta.....	1,714,790	278,478	16.24
British Columbia.....	317,539	79,744	25.11
TOTAL.....	151,673,880	24,518,734	16.17

3. Production of Condensed and Evaporated Milk, Milk Powder, etc. 1924.

	Quantity	Value	\$
Condensed milk.....	lb. 30,875,392	3,814,635	
Condensed skim milk.....	" 3,898,553	210,538	
Evaporated milk.....	" 42,433,245	4,147,682	
Milk powder.....	" 1,674,920	416,723	
Skim milk powder.....	" 10,868,273	1,022,525	
Sterilized milk.....	" 23,163	3,760	
Condensed coffee.....	" 323,328	67,028	
Casein.....	" 467,279	27,126	
Total Value.....	-	9,710,017	

4. Miscellaneous Products of Dairy Factories, 1924.

	Quantity	Value	\$
Whey butter.....	lb. 1,223,861	359,469	
Ice cream.....	gal. 2,805,928	3,616,689	
Milk sold.....	" 37,890,208	14,781,353	
Cream sold (lb. butter fat).....	11,223,017	6,677,812	
Buttermilk.....	-	296,109	
Whey cream (lb. butter fat).....	754,020	230,645	
Sundry ¹	-	503,482	
Total Value.....	-	26,465,559	

¹ Comprises curd cheese, skim milk and whey.

5. Total Exports of Milk and Its Products, during the calendar year 1924.

	Quantity	Value	\$
Milk, fresh.....	gal. 2,896,279	523,327	
Cream.....	" 3,288,822	5,328,446	
Butter.....	lb. 22,343,939	8,300,512	
Cheese.....	lb. 121,465,600	22,375,787	
Milk, condensed, canned or preserved...	" 40,250,600	4,628,913	
Milk powder.....	" 7,264,947	690,451	
Casein.....	" 57,059	4,294	
Total Value.....	-	41,851,730	

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