

Questions

products and, further, unless it could be shown that the increased imports are the result of unforeseen developments and the result, also, of the tariff concession under the agreement. Even if the United States government should decide, as a result of a recommendation by the United States tariff commission, to increase the tariff rate in question, the Canadian government would have the right, under the general agreement on tariffs and trade, to be consulted on all aspects of such proposed action.

CATTLE, ETC.—NUMBER IN CANADA—EXPORTS TO U.S.A.

Mr. Diefenbaker:

1. What was the number of (a) milk cows; (b) cattle; (c) pigs; (d) sheep, by provinces, in each of the years 1941 and 1951?
2. How many (a) milk cows; (b) cattle, were exported to the United States in the year 1950, and to date, during each month in 1951?

Mr. McIlraith:

1. See statement following.
2. Canadian exports of milk cows and cattle to the United States:

| | Milk Cows | Pure Bred Cattle | Cattle, Other |
|--------------------|-----------|------------------|---------------|
| | No. | No. | No. |
| 1950—Calendar year | 47,043 | 22,726 | 386,949 |
| 1951—January | 2,927 | 1,084 | 18,372 |
| February ... | 3,948 | 1,427 | 15,361 |
| March | 3,979 | 1,702 | 21,530 |
| April | 3,057 | 2,242 | 18,780 |
| May | 3,940 | 1,847 | 19,078 |
| June | 3,393 | 1,565 | 13,317 |
| July | 3,732 | 1,490 | 6,666 |
| August | 3,031 | 1,575 | 10,835 |
| September .. | 2,945 | 2,161 | 15,149 |
| October | 2,799 | 1,492 | 18,365 |

Number of Specified Live Stock on Farms in Canada, by Provinces, 1941 and 1951

| | | Milk Cows ¹ | Cattle ² | Pigs | Sheep ³ |
|--------------------------------------|------|------------------------|---------------------|-----------|--------------------|
| Canada (excluding Newfoundland)..... | 1941 | 3,626,025 | 4,890,982 | 6,081,389 | 2,839,948 |
| | 1951 | 3,541,700 | 5,791,600 | 5,875,000 | 1,968,100 |
| Prince Edward Island..... | 1941 | 46,404 | 47,973 | 48,205 | 44,269 |
| | 1951 | 43,600 | 57,800 | 76,000 | 48,000 |
| Nova Scotia..... | 1941 | 108,130 | 96,764 | 44,303 | 138,209 |
| | 1951 | 98,000 | 104,000 | 62,000 | 127,300 |
| New Brunswick..... | 1941 | 114,764 | 92,229 | 68,018 | 92,556 |
| | 1951 | 102,000 | 101,000 | 92,000 | 71,400 |
| Quebec..... | 1941 | 1,000,795 | 756,392 | 808,017 | 526,087 |
| | 1951 | 1,129,500 | 908,800 | 1,439,000 | 377,800 |
| Ontario..... | 1941 | 1,155,849 | 1,483,639 | 1,882,012 | 661,775 |
| | 1951 | 1,204,400 | 1,807,500 | 2,150,000 | 475,400 |
| Manitoba..... | 1941 | 306,294 | 399,043 | 503,407 | 246,169 |
| | 1951 | 236,800 | 470,500 | 346,000 | 112,400 |
| Saskatchewan..... | 1941 | 437,674 | 803,471 | 943,711 | 330,034 |
| | 1951 | 339,000 | 898,000 | 607,000 | 236,200 |
| Alberta..... | 1941 | 363,626 | 978,504 | 1,705,528 | 674,918 |
| | 1951 | 292,400 | 1,190,000 | 1,038,000 | 416,600 |
| British Columbia..... | 1941 | 92,489 | 232,967 | 78,188 | 125,931 |
| | 1951 | 96,000 | 254,000 | 65,000 | 103,000 |

¹ Cows and heifers 2 years old and over kept mainly for milk purposes.

² All other cattle and calves.

³ Sheep and lambs.

NOTE: The 1941 figures are from the 1941 census. The 1951 figures are estimates derived from the June 1, 1951 sample survey of live stock on farms.

The October 1, 1945 census of live stock in Newfoundland reported 14,455 milk cows and heifers; 8,489 other cattle; 85,802 sheep; and 11,443 swine.