

INDUSTRIAL GROUPING, ON BASIS OF OUTPUT.

304. Taking, first, the 10-year period 1881-91, the census of 1881 and that of 1891 show the following results :—

	1881.	1891.	Increase.	Per cent
No. of establishments..... No.	49,731	75,968	26,237	52·8
Capital invested..... \$	164,957,423	354,620,750	189,663,327	115·0
No. of emplo. ees..... No.	254,894	370,256	115,362	45·2
Wages paid..... \$	59,401,702	100,663,650	41,261,948	69·4
Cost of raw material..... \$	179,929,193	256,119,042	76,189,849	42·3
Value of output..... \$	309,731,867	476,198,886	166,527,019	53·8

305. Divided into groups, the following results appear :—

DEVELOPMENT OF MANUFACTURES.

(1) Number of industrial establishments having an output of \$50,000 and over :—	
1891.....	1,675
1881.....	1,108
Increase 1891 over 1881.....	567
Increase per cent.....	51·1
(2) Number of industrial establishments having an output of \$25,000 to \$50,000 :—	
1891.....	1,208
1881.....	966
Increase 1891 over 1881.....	242
Increase per cent.....	24·9
(3) Number of industrial establishments having an output of \$12,000 to \$25,000 :—	
1891.....	2,679
1881.....	2,061
Increase 1891 over 1881.....	618
Increase per cent.....	30
(4) Number of industrial establishments having an output of \$2,000 to \$12,000 :—	
1891.....	19,629
1881.....	13,524
Increase 1891 over 1881.....	6,105
Increase per cent.....	45·3
(5) Number of industrial establishments having an output of \$500 to \$2,000 :—	
1891.....	27,224
1881.....	17,818
Increase 1891 over 1881.....	9,406
Increase per cent.....	52·9
(6) Number of industrial establishments having an output under \$500 :—	
1891.....	23,553
1881.....	14,253
Increase 1891 over 1881.....	9,300
Increase per cent.....	65·3
Total industrial establishments :—	
1891.....	75,968
1881.....	49,731
Increase 1891 over 1881.....	26,237
Increase per cent.....	52·8