

The increase in group 5 was 66·5 per cent.

The wages paid in all the industrial establishments increased 69·4 per cent.

The increase in group 5 was 95·5 per cent.

The output of all the industrial establishments increased by 53·8 per cent.

The increase in group 5 was 69·6 per cent.

It is submitted that these facts are incompatible with the abnormal increase of small establishments charged against the census of 1891.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

363. An analysis of the Province of Ontario shows that Eastern Ontario (including in that designation Renfrew, Ottawa City, Prescott, Glengarry, Cornwall and Stormont, Russell, Carleton, Dundas, Grenville South, Leeds, Lanark, Frontenac, Brockville, Addington, Prince Edward, Lennox, Hastings, Kingston, Peterboro' and Northumberland) in 1881 had 37 establishments with an output of from \$100,000 to \$500,000, and 2 with an output from \$500,000 to \$1,000,000. In 1891 the same counties and cities had 70 establishments with an output of \$100,000 to \$500,000, 10 with an output from half a million to one million and one with an output of over a million dollars.

364. In Central Ontario, comprising Nipissing, Muskoka, Victoria, Durham, Ontario, Simcoe, York, Cardwell, Toronto and Peel, there were 75 establishments having an annual output of from \$100,000 to \$500,000 in 1881, and 152 establishments having an output of the same range in 1891. In 1881 there were 4 with an output of from half a million to one million dollars a year, and in 1891 the number was the same, 4; in 1881 there were no establishments having an output beyond the million dollar mark, and in 1891 there were two.

365. In Western Ontario, comprising all the remainder of the province, there were 128 establishments in 1881 and 170 in 1891 with an output from \$100,000 to \$500,000; 4 in 1881 and 12 in 1891 with an output from half a million to one million; 2 in 1881 and 2 in 1891 went beyond the million dollar mark.

Of those which in the Province of Ontario went beyond the one million dollar output, the aggregate was \$2,200,000 in 1881 and \$6,175,000 in 1891.

The number of establishments in the Province of Ontario having an output of from \$100,000 to \$500,000 increased by 152, which is 62·5 per cent of an increase. The increase in the number of establishments having an output from half a million to one million was 160 per cent and of those beyond the million dollar mark, 150 per cent.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

366. In the Province of Quebec, Montreal and Hochelaga are the great centres of the large manufacturing establishments.

In 1881 there were in the whole province 171 establishments having an output of \$100,000 to \$500,000; 13 with an output from half a million to one million, and 6 with an output of one million and over.

In 1891 the 171 establishments had increased to 219, the 13 to 16 and the 6 to 11.