During the ten years there was in what may be called the factory life of Canada, a decrease in the number of establishments of 11·10 per cent, an increase of 48·83 per cent in the capital invested and of 26·09 per cent in the value of the articles produced. The number of employees increased at

a greater rate than the average wages paid.

The general results of the ten years are: (1.) Consolidation, shown in the decrease of the number of establishments having five employees and over. (2.) Great increase in the capital invested. (3.) Not a corresponding increase in the value of the products, the value of the output being in 1891 \$1.21 per dollar of capital, and in 1901, \$1.03 per dollar. (4.) A decrease in the average wage, that of 1891 having been \$292.44 a year and that of 1901 being \$287.40 a year—a decrease of \$5.04 per hand per annum. (5.) Increase in the value of the product per employee, each employee in 1901 averaging an output of \$1,476 against \$1,334.41 in 1891.

MANUFACTURES OF 1891 AND 1901, CLASSIFIED AND COMPARED.

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