

former and 54.7 p.c. in the latter, as compared with the general proportion of 21.8 p.c. in the 40 industries. In the textile divisions, wages generally were low, employees of men's clothing factories receiving the highest remuneration in the group. The proportion of women workers employed in these trades was large, while the number of days in operation was about the average. Saw-mills worked on the average 104 days, employing only males, who were paid an average wage of \$921 during the season of 1924.

**24.—Employees by Sex and Average Salaries and Wages paid in Forty Leading Canadian Manufacturing Industries during 1924, with Average Number of Days Operated by Plants in each Industry.**

**SALARIES.**

Industries.	Employees on salaries.			Total salaries.	Average salary.	
	Male.	Female.	Total.		1924.	1923.
	No.	No.	No.	\$	\$	\$
Flour and grist-mill products.....	984	232	1,216	2,265,218	1,865	1,805
Pulp and paper-mills.....	2,528	465	2,993	6,938,689	2,317	2,507
Saw-mills.....	1,929	242	2,171	4,101,719	1,890	1,956
Slaughtering and meat-packing.....	2,152	404	2,556	4,814,191	1,825	1,771
Butter and cheese.....	3,433	523	3,956	3,967,483	1,002	989
Electric light and power.....	4,632	927	5,559	8,124,051	1,462	1,372
Automobiles.....	1,050	353	1,403	3,280,935	2,335	2,203
Cotton yarn and cloth.....	441	98	539	1,271,478	2,360	2,359
Sugar refineries.....	285	50	335	834,178	2,490	2,388
Rubber goods (including footwear).....	1,383	392	1,775	2,831,943	1,593	1,680
Castings and forgings.....	1,876	520	2,396	4,700,778	1,962	2,051
Electrical apparatus and supplies.....	2,261	779	3,040	5,329,878	1,753	1,759
Bread and other bakery products.....	775	235	1,010	1,549,527	1,534	1,632
Printing and publishing.....	3,815	1,336	5,151	8,123,507	1,578	1,554
Petroleum.....	352	60	412	866,974	2,103	2,100
Clothing, women's factory.....	977	628	1,605	3,227,785	2,012	1,970
Railway rolling stock.....	772	87	859	1,675,336	1,950	2,180
Biscuits and confectionery.....	1,356	496	1,852	3,286,807	1,775	1,793
Hosiery and knit goods (including gloves).....	650	366	1,016	2,145,644	2,112	1,909
Cigars and cigarettes.....	919	192	1,111	2,121,120	1,910	1,889
Boots and shoes (leather).....	980	324	1,304	2,765,059	2,118	2,157
Planing mills, sash and door factories.....	1,054	197	1,251	2,235,197	1,787	1,872
Clothing, men's factory.....	945	337	1,282	2,488,722	1,936	2,031
Steel and rolled products, pig iron, ferro-alloys, etc.....	255	44	399	985,964	2,470	2,490
Breweries.....	544	62	606	1,486,006	2,450	2,489
Printing and bookbinding.....	1,452	525	1,977	3,793,769	1,918	1,981
Sheet metal products.....	813	233	1,046	1,836,560	1,755	1,802
Machinery.....	1,248	434	1,782	3,307,163	1,856	1,714
Fish-curing and packing.....	526	48	574	755,631	1,316	1,164
Agricultural implements.....	999	289	1,288	2,317,521	1,798	1,770
Acids, alkalies, salts and compressed gases.....	411	81	492	978,483	1,968	1,853
Furniture and upholstering.....	928	231	1,159	2,188,612	1,890	1,938
Leather tanneries.....	275	50	325	836,520	2,575	2,670
Furnishing goods, men's.....	457	201	658	1,165,858	1,772	1,957
Paints, pigments and varnishes.....	590	175	774	1,632,342	2,110	2,209
Fruit and vegetable canning, evaporating and preserving.....	305	113	418	637,905	1,525	1,432
Gas, lighting and heating.....	423	369	792	1,231,612	1,555	1,272
Tobacco, chewing and smoking.....	195	55	250	763,742	2,055	3,286
Soaps, washing compounds.....	443	158	601	1,093,465	1,820	1,773
Automobile supplies.....	247	93	340	677,799	1,904	2,166
<b>Total, forty leading industries.....</b>	<b>45,869</b>	<b>12,406</b>	<b>58,275</b>	<b>104,630,161</b>	<b>1,795</b>	<b>1,813</b>
<b>Total, all industries.....</b>	<b>59,412</b>	<b>16,818</b>	<b>76,230</b>	<b>123,614,639</b>	<b>1,881</b>	<b>1,824</b>