

2.—Commercial Failures in Canada, by Provinces and Classes, for the calendar year 1931, with Totals for 1915-30 [From Dun's Review]—concluded.

Province.	Trading.		Other Commercial.		Banking.	
	No.	Liabilities.	No.	Liabilities.	No.	Liabilities.
		\$		\$		\$
Totals, 1930.....	1,859	20,971,727	231	14,083,246	-	-
" 1929.....	1,546	17,435,263	140	7,037,962	-	-
" 1928.....	1,469	24,540,931	145	11,846,285	-	-
" 1927.....	1,544	16,566,799	136	2,547,395	-	-
" 1926.....	1,548	17,320,905	121	3,296,223	-	-
" 1925.....	1,693	19,514,049	115	2,207,262	-	-
" 1924.....	1,720	21,324,089	129	6,664,228	1	100,000
" 1923.....	2,319	31,339,763	136	2,679,237	1	18,500,000
" 1922.....	2,717	33,004,203	121	5,983,965	4	222,480
" 1921.....	1,739	29,886,569	153	9,435,752	1	45,233
" 1920.....	771	7,704,505	52	2,918,580	-	-
" 1919.....	494	4,475,623	48	1,546,154	-	-
" 1918.....	590	5,142,397	51	1,111,273	-	-
" 1917.....	777	8,417,239	59	2,369,132	-	-
" 1916.....	1,237	12,290,368	85	3,982,520	-	-
" 1915.....	1,888	21,696,890	118	5,558,017	1	150,000

3.—Commercial Failures in Canada and Newfoundland, by Branches of Business, calendar years 1929-31 [From Dun's Review].

Branch of Business.	1929.		1930.		1931.	
	No.	Liabilities.	No.	Liabilities.	No.	Liabilities.
		\$		\$		\$
Manufacturers—						
Iron and foundries.....	7	104,362	8	514,731	10	488,953
Machinery and tools.....	26	993,650	27	1,754,991	37	1,117,185
Woollens, carpets, etc.....	5	224,492	3	98,187	6	33,471
Cotton, hosiery, etc.....	2	206,414	2	59,200	1	20,000
Lumber, carpenters.....	98	3,794,628	111	5,711,335	63	2,450,145
Clothing, millinery.....	123	2,042,500	124	2,172,946	98	1,752,828
Hats, gloves and furs.....	34	837,493	32	416,048	22	328,818
Chemicals and drugs.....	8	267,100	13	141,475	8	91,288
Paints and oils.....	2	38,163	-	-	-	-
Printing and engraving.....	25	146,289	16	177,045	22	429,068
Milling and bakers.....	37	385,803	35	4,334,370	52	401,879
Leather, shoes, etc.....	25	781,774	38	906,831	21	607,976
Liquors and tobacco.....	12	876,000	11	724,814	14	292,803
Glass, earthenware.....	14	635,901	11	173,974	11	337,571
All other.....	201	8,582,845	188	4,062,920	198	5,148,929
Totals, Manufacturers.....	624	19,967,414	619	21,249,918	563	13,500,914
Traders—						
General stores.....	183	1,853,725	250	3,871,344	248	2,626,695
Groceries and meats.....	376	2,537,094	371	2,269,492	368	2,315,434
Hotels, restaurants.....	107	1,147,014	167	1,595,464	150	1,751,592
Liquors and tobacco.....	23	151,569	21	68,743	23	189,056
Clothing, furnishings.....	213	1,989,407	293	3,217,499	290	3,260,067
Dry goods and carpets.....	150	3,178,000	169	2,329,543	153	2,855,910
Shoes, rubbers and trunks.....	57	739,406	68	779,540	73	920,134
Furniture, crockery.....	26	407,914	37	437,295	41	405,086
Hardware, stoves and tools.....	49	497,703	47	452,706	58	552,555
Chemicals and drugs.....	41	311,122	46	385,863	29	179,167
Paints and oils.....	2	15,550	1	500	3	22,952
Jewellery and clocks.....	28	160,791	46	347,752	33	548,114
Books and papers.....	15	129,721	11	113,457	15	97,917
Hats, furs and gloves.....	27	804,670	27	655,203	20	550,409
All other.....	255	3,516,577	334	5,316,428	253	4,821,268
Totals, Traders.....	1,546	17,435,263	1,888	21,840,829	1,766	21,596,346
Agents and Brokers.....	146	7,037,962	234	14,100,746	234	17,896,294
Grand Totals.....	2,310	44,440,639	2,741	57,191,493	2,563	52,987,554