

Copyright protection is extended to records, perforated rolls, cinematographic films and other contrivances by means of which a work may be mechanically performed. The intention of the Act is to enable Canadian authors to obtain full copyright protection throughout all parts of His Majesty's Dominions, foreign countries of the Copyright Union, and the United States of America, as well as in Canada.

The Trade Mark and Design Act (c. 201, R.S.C., 1927) was amended by c. 10 of the Statutes of 1928, bringing the Act into agreement with the terms of the Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended at The Hague in 1925 with regard to refusal to register certain trade marks. The renewal of expired trade mark registration was also provided for, while it was also enacted that in certain cases interested parties might apply to the Exchequer Court of Canada for the cancellation of a trade mark at any time within three years from its registration. The Unfair Competition Act, 1932, (22-23 Geo. V, c. 38), repealed all parts of the above Act relating to trade marks and all trade marks are now registered under and protected by the new Act.

25.—Statistics of Copyrights, Trade Marks, etc., fiscal years ended Mar. 31, 1929-34.

Item.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.	1933.	1934.
Copyrights registered.....No.	3,043	4,072	3,008	2,812	2,684	2,537
Certificates of copyright.....“	2,781	3,849	3,008	2,812	2,684	2,537
Trade marks registered.....“	2,316	3,143	2,848	2,186	2,950	2,066
Industrial designs registered.....“	337	408	495	371	409	331
Timber marks registered.....“	12	12	24	6	4	6
Assignments registered.....“	2,055	2,282	1,703	1,661	1,416	1,143
Fees received, net.....\$	95,741	96,591	87,009	81,138	146,274	67,196

Financial Statistics.—The following table gives the receipts, expenditures and surplus on account of patents, copyrights and trade marks for the fiscal years 1929-34.

26.—Receipts, Expenditures and Surplus on Account of Patents, Copyrights and Trade Marks, fiscal years ended Mar. 31, 1929-34.

NOTE.—For figures from 1921 to 1928 see the 1933 Year Book, p. 624.

Fiscal Year.	Receipts.	Expenditures.			Surplus.	
		Civil Gov- ernment.	Patent Record.	Contin- gencies.		Total.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
1929.....	530,239	162,005	29,749	26,870	218,624	311,615
1930.....	574,918	169,339	34,946	31,622	235,907	339,011
1931.....	559,646	174,458	35,000	32,000	241,458	318,188
1932.....	525,248	173,370	35,000	37,893	246,263	278,985
1933.....	539,341	155,465	25,000	24,329	205,293	334,047
1934.....	429,342	152,624	32,860	22,649	208,133	221,209