

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF THE PROGRESS OF CANADA—continued.

| | Item. | 1871. | 1881. | 1891. | 1901. | 1906. |
|---|---|-------------|-------------|--------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Central Electric Stations— | | | | | | |
| 1 | Power houses..... No. | - | - | 80 | 58 | 157 |
| 2 | Capital invested..... \$ | - | - | 4,113,771 | 11,891,025 | 80,393,445 |
| 3 | Kilowatt hours generated ² No. | - | - | - | - | - |
| 4 | Customers..... " | - | - | - | - | - |
| Water Power— | | | | | | |
| 5 | Turbine H.P. installed..... No. | - | - | 71,219 | 238,902 | 608,002 |
| Manufactures—³ | | | | | | |
| 6 | Employees..... No. | 187,942 | 254,935 | 272,033 | 339,173 | 383,920 |
| 7 | Capital..... \$ | 77,964,020 | 165,302,623 | 353,213,000 ⁴ | 446,916,487 | 833,916,155 |
| 8 | Salaries and wages..... \$ | 40,851,009 | 59,429,002 | 79,234,311 | 113,249,350 | 162,155,578 |
| 9 | Values of materials used in..... \$ | 124,907,846 | 179,918,593 | 250,759,292 ⁴ | 266,527,858 | - |
| 10 | Products— | | | | | |
| | Gross..... \$ | 221,617,773 | 309,676,068 | 368,696,723 | 481,053,375 | 706,446,578 |
| | Net..... \$ | 96,709,927 | 129,757,475 | 117,937,431 | 214,525,517 | - |
| Construction— | | | | | | |
| 11 | Values of contracts awarded... \$ | - | - | - | - | - |
| Wholesale and Retail Trade— | | | | | | |
| Wholesale— | | | | | | |
| 12 | Establishments..... No. | - | - | - | - | - |
| 13 | Employees..... " | - | - | - | - | - |
| 14 | Net sales..... \$ | - | - | - | - | - |
| Retail— | | | | | | |
| 15 | Stores..... No. | - | - | - | - | - |
| 16 | Employees, full-time..... " | - | - | - | - | - |
| 17 | Net sales..... \$ | - | - | - | - | - |
| Retail Services— | | | | | | |
| 18 | Establishments..... No. | - | - | - | - | - |
| 19 | Employees, full-time..... " | - | - | - | - | - |
| 20 | Receipts..... \$ | - | - | - | - | - |
| External Trade (fiscal years)— | | | | | | |
| 21 | Exports ⁵ \$ | 57,630,024 | 83,944,701 | 88,671,738 | 177,431,386 | 235,483,956 |
| 22 | Imports ⁵ \$ | 84,214,388 | 90,488,329 | 111,533,954 | 177,930,919 | 283,740,280 |
| | Totals, External Trade..... \$ | 141,844,412 | 174,433,030 | 200,205,692 | 355,362,305 | 519,224,236 |
| 23 | Total exports to British Empire..... \$ | - | - | 47,137,203 | 100,748,097 | 138,421,222 |
| 24 | Exports to United Kingdom... \$ | 21,733,556 | 42,637,219 | 43,243,784 | 92,857,525 | 127,456,465 |
| 25 | Total imports from British Empire..... \$ | - | - | 44,337,052 | 46,653,228 | 83,789,434 |
| 26 | Imports from United Kingdom \$ | 48,498,202 | 42,885,142 | 42,018,943 | 42,820,334 | 69,183,915 |
| 27 | Exports to United States..... \$ | 29,164,358 | 34,038,431 | 37,743,430 | 67,983,673 | 83,546,306 |
| 28 | Imports from United States... \$ | 27,185,586 | 36,338,701 | 52,033,477 | 107,377,906 | 169,256,452 |
| Exports, Domestic, by Chief Items— | | | | | | |
| 29 | Wheat..... bu. | 1,748,977 | 2,523,673 | 2,108,216 | 9,739,758 | 40,399,402 |
| | "..... \$ | 1,981,917 | 2,593,820 | 1,583,084 | 6,871,939 | 33,658,391 |
| 30 | Wheat flour..... bbl. | 306,339 | 439,728 | 296,784 | 1,118,700 | 1,532,014 |
| | "..... \$ | 1,609,849 | 2,173,108 | 1,388,578 | 4,015,226 | 6,179,825 |
| 31 | Oats..... bu. | 542,386 | 2,926,532 | 260,569 | 8,155,063 | 2,700,303 |
| | "..... \$ | 231,227 | 1,191,873 | 129,917 | 2,490,521 | 1,083,347 |
| 32 | Hay..... ton | 23,487 | 168,381 | 65,083 | 252,977 | 206,714 |
| | "..... \$ | 290,217 | 1,813,208 | 559,489 | 2,097,882 | 1,529,941 |
| 33 | Bacon and hams, shoulders and sides..... cwt. | 103,444 | 103,547 | 75,541 | 1,055,495 | 1,029,079 |
| | "..... \$ | 1,018,918 | 758,334 | 628,469 | 11,778,446 | 12,086,868 |
| 34 | Butter..... lb. | 15,439,266 | 17,649,491 | 3,768,101 | 16,335,528 | 34,031,525 |
| | "..... \$ | 3,065,234 | 3,573,034 | 602,175 | 3,295,663 | 7,075,539 |
| 35 | Cheese..... lb. | 8,271,439 | 49,255,523 | 106,202,140 | 195,926,397 | 215,834,543 |
| | "..... \$ | 1,109,906 | 5,510,443 | 9,508,800 | 20,696,951 | 24,433,169 |
| 36 | Gold, raw..... \$ | 163,037 | 767,317 | 554,126 | 24,445,156 | 12,991,916 |
| 37 | Silver..... oz. | - | - | - | 4,022,019 | 7,261,527 |
| | "..... \$ | 595,261 | 34,494 | 233,367 | 2,420,750 | 4,310,528 |
| 38 | Copper ¹ lb. | 6,246,000 | 39,604,000 | 10,994,498 | 26,345,776 | 44,282,348 |
| | "..... \$ | 120,121 | 150,412 | 505,196 | 2,659,261 | 7,148,633 |

¹ Figures for 1939 are subject to revision.² In thousands.

³ The statistics of manufactures in 1871 and 1881 include works employing fewer than 5 hands; those of 1891, 1901, 1911, and 1916 are for works employing only 5 hands or over except in the case of butter and cheese factories, flour and grist mills, electric light plants, lumber, lath and shingle mills, lime kilns, brick and tile works, and fish canneries. The figures shown are for the preceding years in each case. From 1922 statistics are exclusive of construction, hand trades, repair and custom work. Figures for 1926-38 include non-ferrous metal smelting not included in earlier years.

⁴ Includes all establishments irrespective of the number of employees.