

**7.—Commercial Failures in Canada, by Provinces and Branches of Business, 1939,
with Totals for 1938.**

Branch of Business.	P.E.I. and N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Total for 1939.	Total for 1938.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Trade—										
General stores.....	4	6	43	26	4	3	11	4	101	105
Grocery.....	5	4	41	34	4	4	3	1	96	129
Confectionery.....	1	Nil	15	8	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	24	22
Drink and tobacco.....	Nil	"	14	Nil	"	"	"	"	14	9
Fish and meat.....	1	"	29	22	1	"	3	2	58	30
Boots and shoes.....	1	2	11	6	Nil	"	Nil	3	23	16
Dry goods.....	1	1	26	13	1	2	"	Nil	44	61
Clothing.....	3	2	48	37	3	8	1	3	105	98
Furniture.....	Nil	1	7	4	Nil	1	Nil	Nil	13	18
Books and stationery.....	"	Nil	11	4	"	Nil	"	"	15	12
Automobile.....	1	2	10	9	1	"	1	1	25	6
Hardware.....	Nil	Nil	13	6	2	1	1	Nil	23	16
Electrical apparatus.....	"	"	5	4	1	1	Nil	1	12	10
Jewellery.....	"	"	5	6	2	Nil	"	1	14	18
Coal and wood.....	"	"	6	4	Nil	"	"	3	13	15
Drugs and chemicals.....	1	2	9	3	2	"	1	1	19	22
Miscellaneous.....	6	4	21	16	5	4	4	5	65	80
Totals, Trade.....	24	24	314	202	26	24	25	25	664	667
Manufacturing—										
Vegetable foods.....	2	Nil	21	13	Nil	1	1	Nil	38	39
Drink and tobacco.....	Nil	"	1	Nil	"	Nil	Nil	"	1	Nil
Animal foods.....	1	3	9	6	4	"	"	2	25	14
Fur and leather.....	Nil	Nil	9	10	1	"	1	Nil	21	14
Pulp and paper.....	"	1	2	Nil	Nil	"	Nil	1	4	2
Textiles.....	"	Nil	13	6	"	1	"	Nil	20	12
Clothing.....	"	"	18	13	"	Nil	"	2	33	35
Lumbering and manufactures.....	"	2	12	2	1	"	1	2	20	22
Iron and steel.....	"	Nil	6	4	Nil	"	Nil	Nil	10	6
Non-ferrous metals.....	"	"	5	2	2	"	"	"	9	9
Non-metallic minerals.....	"	"	7	Nil	3	"	"	1	11	7
Drugs and chemicals.....	"	"	5	"	Nil	"	"	1	6	4
Miscellaneous.....	"	"	7	4	"	1	"	Nil	12	36
Totals, Manufacturing..	3	6	115	60	11	3	3	9	210	200
Service—										
Garages.....	Nil	1	18	7	1	Nil	1	Nil	28	18
Other customs and repairs.....	1	Nil	19	13	4	"	1	2	40	10 ¹
Personal service.....	Nil	3	22	17	3	2	1	2	50	16 ¹
Restaurants.....	"	4	26	14	Nil	Nil	1	2	47	51
Professional service.....	"	Nil	13	4	1	1	Nil	Nil	19	10
Recreational service.....	1	"	Nil	2	Nil	Nil	2	"	5	1
Business service.....	Nil	1	6	1	"	"	Nil	"	8	3
Totals, Service.....	2	9	104	58	9	3	6	6	197	109¹
Other—										
Agriculture.....	3	Nil	34	25	14	30	1	1	108	101
Mining.....	2	1	6	4	Nil	Nil	"	5	18	11
Logging, fishing, and trapping.....	Nil	Nil	1	Nil	"	"	"	5	6	1
Construction.....	1	1	45	26	5	1	1	Nil	80	50
Transportation and public utilities.....	Nil	Nil	11	6	2	Nil	Nil	3	22	9
Finance.....	1	1	8	1	1	"	"	Nil	12	4
Totals, Other.....	7	3	105	62	22	31	2	14	246	176
Not Classified.....	5	3	31	21	6	6	1	2	75	67
Grand Totals.....	41	45	669	403	74	67	37	56	1,392	1,219¹

¹ Revised since the publication of the 1939 Year Book.