

**22.—Salaries and Wages Paid in Manufacturing Industries, by Provinces and Industrial Groups, 1941, with Totals for Significant Years, 1917-40—concluded**

Year, Province or Industrial Group	Salaries				Wages			
	Salaried Employees		Total Salaries	Average Salaries	Wage-Earners		Total Wages	Average Wages
	Male	Female			Male	Female		
<b>PROVINCE, 1941<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>
Prince Edward Island.	237	59	228,832	773	572	237	452,051	559
Nova Scotia.	2,384	636	4,337,041	1,436	18,166	3,391	23,190,298	1,076
New Brunswick.	2,033	600	4,386,813	1,666	14,321	2,646	17,331,594	1,021
Quebec.	38,569	12,607	88,836,742	1,736	199,739	76,676	304,982,929	1,103
Ontario.	57,457	23,374	153,447,285	1,898	306,368	81,031	507,274,993	1,309
Manitoba.	4,583	1,356	9,799,218	1,650	21,561	4,762	31,095,049	1,181
Saskatchewan.	2,015	433	3,287,564	1,343	5,579	5,119	6,692,410	1,097
Alberta.	2,967	779	5,604,442	1,496	11,442	1,573	14,547,263	1,118
British Columbia.	6,990	1,849	16,384,683	1,854	49,036	4,572	72,871,795	1,359
Yukon and the North-west Territories.	16	-	24,241	1,515	41	2	87,400	2,033
<b>Totals, 1941...</b>	<b>117,251</b>	<b>41,693</b>	<b>286,336,861</b>	<b>1,801</b>	<b>626,825</b>	<b>175,409</b>	<b>978,525,782</b>	<b>1,220</b>
<b>INDUSTRIAL GROUP, 1941<sup>1</sup></b>								
Vegetable products....	18,080	5,799	41,674,374	1,745	61,109	28,765	89,391,719	994
Animal products.....	13,047	3,520	24,956,045	1,506	48,982	16,582	65,228,992	995
Textiles and textile products.....	11,721	5,843	35,542,721	2,024	60,539	78,789	123,796,307	889
Wood and paper products.....	27,128	7,530	60,416,988	1,743	130,995	14,314	167,404,751	1,152
Iron and its products..	22,794	9,120	58,290,799	1,826	210,772	11,015	349,773,336	1,577
Non-ferrous metal products.....	8,466	3,669	24,850,649	2,048	50,806	10,509	84,044,351	1,371
Non-metallic mineral products.....	3,863	1,076	10,160,334	2,057	22,592	1,298	32,215,880	1,349
Chemicals and allied products.....	9,138	3,826	23,324,430	1,799	31,149	9,901	52,310,311	1,274
Miscellaneous products	3,014	1,310	7,120,521	1,647	9,881	4,236	14,360,135	1,017

<sup>1</sup> For a subdivision of annual earnings of wage-earners, by sex, see Table 25.

Territories in regard to average wages are due to the unusual conditions under which industry is carried on in these regions and are not representative. Statistics on the distribution of employees by provinces and groups as well as average annual earnings are given in Table 22, and for a subdivision of annual earnings of wage-earners, by sex, see Table 25.

**Average Annual Earnings in the Forty Leading Industries.**—In only three industries did the average salaries exceed \$2,500 in 1941 petroleum products, breweries and pulp and paper. In eleven they ranged between \$2,000 and \$2,500, in twenty they averaged \$1,500 to \$2,000, and in the remaining six they were below \$1,500. The lowest salaries were reported by the sawmilling and butter and cheese industries each of which includes a large proportion of small establishments.

The highest wages, those above \$1,600, were paid in seven industries, in all of which the proportion of skilled workers is high and the proportion of female workers is low. The automobile industry with \$1,963 was the highest in this group, and railway rolling-stock, with \$1,615, the lowest. In nine other industries average wages ranged between \$1,400 to \$1,600 in all of which the proportion of female workers is low. In twelve other industries average wages ranged between \$1,000 and \$1,400, while in the remaining twelve they were below \$1,000. This last group includes industries made up of a large number of small establishments and in which the proportion of female workers is high. Employment by sex and average annual earnings in the forty leading industries is given in Table 23, and annual earnings by sex in Tables 26 and 27.