

Separate figures on the sale of repair parts show a total business of \$18,651,843 in 1945, a gain of 9.2 p.c. over the \$17,084,138 reported for the preceding year. Applying an average mark-up of 31.4 p.c. to the 1945 figure, a total retail value for repair parts amounting to \$24,508,500 is obtained.

20.—Regional Distribution of Farm Implement and Equipment Sales, 1944 and 1945

NOTE.—Values are mainly at wholesale prices.

Region	1944		1945		P. C. Increase 1945 over 1944
	Amount	P.C. of Total	Amount	P.C. of Total	
	\$		\$		
Maritime Provinces.....	1,933,382	3.5	2,619,974	4.1	35.5
Quebec.....	5,058,633	9.2	6,051,271	9.5	19.6
Ontario.....	12,977,046	23.7	14,731,018	23.1	13.5
Manitoba.....	7,224,039	13.2	7,868,572	12.3	8.9
Saskatchewan.....	15,220,383	27.8	18,628,103	29.2	22.4
Alberta.....	11,117,015	20.3	12,352,466	19.4	11.1
British Columbia.....	1,293,637	2.3	1,529,701	2.4	18.2
Totals.....	54,824,135	100.0	63,781,105	100.0	16.3

Motion-Picture Statistics.—There were 1,323 theatres operating in Canada in 1945 and these had 215,573,267 paid admissions. Box-office receipts, exclusive of amusement taxes, amounted to \$55,430,711 while Dominion and provincial amusement taxes collected at motion-picture theatres amounted to \$14,055,021. In addition, the 162 itinerant exhibitors of 16 mm. films had receipts of \$353,045, collected \$80,918 in amusement taxes, and reported admissions numbering 1,531,341. Moreover, there were 4 establishments operating in Canada in 1945 as legitimate theatres, which had 1,137,322 paid admissions with box-office receipts of \$873,341 plus \$239,179 amusement taxes.

21.—Motion-Picture Theatre Receipts, by Provinces, 1930, 1933, 1941, 1944 and 1945

(Exclusive of amusement taxes)

Province	1930	1933	1941	1944	1945
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Prince Edward Island.....	188,300	85,700	141,317	230,550	224,697
Nova Scotia.....	1,814,500	933,300	2,195,599	3,141,049	3,112,340
New Brunswick.....	1,093,400	556,500	1,102,265	1,595,130	1,702,869
Quebec.....	8,301,800	5,510,500	8,047,022	10,983,139	11,490,406
Ontario.....	15,900,900	10,960,200	18,757,372	22,542,943	23,740,894
Manitoba.....	2,712,800	1,820,700	2,475,949	2,930,435	3,066,871
Saskatchewan.....	1,977,300	1,069,300	1,673,313	2,347,726	2,553,779
Alberta.....	2,323,700	1,465,300	2,257,115	3,383,994	3,394,488
British Columbia ¹	4,166,800	2,552,700	4,145,945	6,018,359	6,144,367
Totals.....	38,479,500	24,954,200	40,795,897	53,173,325	55,430,711

¹ Includes Yukon.