

5.—Statistics of the Leading Industries of the Province of Ontario, 1947

Industry	Estab- lish- ments	Em- ployees	Salaries and Wages	Cost of Materials	Net Value of Products	Gross Value of Products
	No.	No.	\$	\$	\$	\$
1 Automobiles.....	6	23,281	57,390,707	222,842,444	109,754,638	334,887,403
2 Electrical apparatus and supplies...	198	35,518	70,743,494	119,228,146	146,043,180	267,878,980
3 Pulp and paper.....	45	16,927	44,235,111	96,525,344	115,462,734	227,692,596
4 Non-ferrous metal smelting and refining.....	7	7,192	16,777,205	123,405,420	57,590,354	191,998,509
5 Slaughtering and meat packing...	64	7,661	16,709,239	157,492,323	27,794,159	186,480,658
6 Flour and feed mills.....	629	4,515	7,762,456	153,844,652	20,429,552	175,424,479
7 Primary iron and steel.....	26	17,658	42,691,676	83,204,961	67,258,929	164,756,235
8 Rubber goods, including rubber footwear.....	33	16,795	35,725,496	68,851,556	91,768,722	162,786,412
9 Machinery.....	202	17,417	36,376,751	47,197,005	81,711,063	130,059,653
10 Automobile supplies.....	82	16,424	34,660,853	63,201,359	61,359,659	126,560,499
11 Butter and cheese.....	763	8,743	14,329,556	85,527,472	27,700,109	115,265,313
12 Petroleum products.....	15	3,454	8,053,482	77,400,845	28,811,725	111,856,345
13 Fruit and vegetable preparations...	232	10,396	13,937,562	52,873,425	41,326,786	95,430,922
14 Agricultural implements.....	37	15,083	29,718,675	47,621,450	36,020,539	85,032,848
15 Sheet metal products.....	131	10,499	20,509,221	39,460,812	35,967,978	76,462,397
16 Bread and other bakery products...	1,040	14,590	22,017,717	34,729,995	36,883,443	73,935,647
17 Castings, iron.....	102	11,499	24,999,140	22,791,259	42,582,754	67,223,559
18 Hosiery and knitted goods.....	136	13,840	18,293,901	31,390,340	33,964,074	66,109,634
19 Brass and copper products.....	94	6,302	13,828,763	38,413,526	23,118,486	62,416,117
20 Furniture.....	394	12,426	21,343,686	27,820,154	32,503,957	61,042,762
21 Printing and publishing.....	296	10,227	22,229,346	17,432,885	42,849,053	60,796,603
22 Leather tanneries.....	30	4,616	9,077,316	39,650,014	19,285,401	59,850,997
23 Clothing, men's factory.....	142	9,922	16,606,794	29,372,287	25,506,718	55,045,777
24 Hardware, tools and cutlery.....	203	10,295	20,354,506	18,300,707	35,345,377	54,675,796
25 Printing and bookbinding.....	637	10,723	18,574,057	20,166,297	32,082,908	52,666,972
26 Boxes and bags, paper.....	90	6,920	11,558,255	29,180,037	22,014,048	51,596,922
27 Tobacco processing and packing...	10	1,081	1,756,085	45,874,044	5,364,446	51,359,981
28 Sawmills.....	1,102	8,381	11,110,359	27,896,904	22,872,976	51,170,386
29 Foods, miscellaneous.....	130	3,603	5,929,628	34,950,333	15,375,187	50,610,377
30 Miscellaneous paper products.....	105	5,216	9,058,106	27,901,038	21,552,544	49,091,200
31 Feeds, stock and poultry.....	104	1,907	3,469,617	40,490,397	7,755,115	48,684,007
32 Clothing, women's factory.....	352	8,279	14,963,169	23,560,790	24,250,182	47,939,332
33 Soaps, washing compounds, etc.....	73	2,542	5,563,493	26,084,689	20,439,323	47,226,137
34 Confectionery, cocoa, etc.....	76	5,338	7,648,328	23,732,760	20,430,870	44,594,917
35 Coke and gas products.....	18	3,036	6,349,822	26,270,806	14,715,263	44,309,703
36 Miscellaneous chemical products...	108	3,693	7,884,172	22,774,332	18,990,950	44,116,006
37 Breweries.....	22	3,120	7,349,581	9,885,806	32,331,875	42,820,074
38 Cotton yarn and cloth.....	25	6,402	9,480,345	22,256,459	16,162,265	39,061,618
39 Woolen cloth.....	43	6,150	9,711,420	21,015,708	16,972,084	38,613,188
40 Railway rolling-stock.....	15	5,447	12,287,489	17,153,140	20,714,273	38,571,423
Totals, Leading Industries.....	7,817	387,118	761,066,619	2,117,772,026	1,553,113,677	3,756,102,084
Totals, All Industries.....	11,860	537,581	1,037,976,714	2,651,697,573	2,136,014,184	4,903,472,526
Percentage of Leading Industries to All Industries.....	65.9	72.1	73.3	79.9	72.7	76.6

Subsection 4.—The Manufactures of the Prairie Provinces

The leading industries of the Prairie Provinces are those based on agricultural resources—grain-growing, cattle-raising and dairying areas. Next in importance, generally, are industries providing for the more necessary needs of the resident population, such as the baking of bread, printing and publishing, etc. The extensive railway services require large shops for the maintenance of rolling-stock, especially in the Winnipeg area. The widespread use of motor-vehicles and power machinery on farms has given rise to petroleum refineries in each province. The greatly increased production of crude petroleum in Alberta seems likely to lead to further development of the refining industry. Manitoba, as the early commercial centre of