

### 5.—Statistics of the Leading Industries of the Province of Ontario, 1951 and 1952—concluded

Industry	Estab-lish-ments	Em-ployees	Salaries and Wages	Cost of Materials	Net Value of Products	Value of Factory Shipments <sup>1</sup>
1952—concluded						
	No.	No.	\$	\$	\$	\$
19 Bread and other bakery products.....	861	14,548	34,152,670	49,308,357	55,430,184	108,431,789
20 Printing and publishing.....	307	12,463	40,715,387	30,573,010	73,008,517	104,515,126
21 Brass and copper products.....	86	5,642	18,595,441	65,819,266	36,306,540	103,307,400
22 Furniture.....	638	13,536	34,297,066	47,181,598	54,098,057	102,391,425
23 Miscellaneous food preparations, n.e.s.....	125	4,450	11,305,077	68,522,928	31,862,875	102,108,130
24 Printing and bookbinding.....	718	11,917	33,611,560	34,417,897	59,208,388	94,299,543
25 Boxes and bags, paper.....	101	6,924	19,778,903	55,009,595	37,770,004	93,422,151
26 Hardware, tools and cutlery.....	245	10,286	32,010,629	29,391,317	59,202,400	89,959,027
27 Miscellaneous chemical products, n.e.s.....	126	4,448	14,779,877	38,045,261	44,262,255	86,642,675
28 Miscellaneous paper goods.....	112	6,199	17,636,831	44,983,610	40,307,017	86,139,218
29 Railway rolling-stock.....	15	7,220	23,805,016	50,030,057	34,881,092	86,050,467
30 Radios and radio parts.....	62	7,524	20,850,455	44,341,241	40,506,811	85,325,135
31 Clothing, men's factory.....	158	11,154	24,565,552	45,402,722	38,832,315	84,476,633
32 Sawmills.....	1,284	9,309	18,938,314	44,220,203	37,886,829	83,158,216
33 Feeds, stock and poultry, prepared	289	2,731	6,260,638	64,259,139	14,326,108	79,720,005
34 Soaps, washing compounds and cleaning preparations.....	63	3,091	11,192,664	31,801,468	43,213,990	75,987,357
35 Tobacco processing and packing.....	9	1,289	16,679,666	68,593,177	5,234,246	74,007,865
36 Refrigerators, vacuum cleaners and appliances.....	62	6,103	18,446,534	30,881,078	41,098,748	72,832,981
37 Cotton yarn and cloth.....	30	7,609	17,768,586	45,143,839	25,911,867	72,216,984
38 Breweries.....	21	3,036	12,191,647	19,808,659	51,001,654	71,737,435
39 Coke and gas products.....	16	2,904	9,950,594	42,214,352	25,850,159	71,551,140
40 Boilers, tanks and platework.....	42	6,087	21,348,758	27,888,979	39,716,711	68,275,113
<b>Totals, Leading Industries ..</b>	<b>7,097</b>	<b>408,960</b>	<b>1,296,323,178</b>	<b>3,361,843,286</b>	<b>2,677,695,640</b>	<b>6,163,984,399</b>
<b>Totals, All Industries .....</b>	<b>13,172</b>	<b>609,696</b>	<b>1,844,186,405</b>	<b>4,387,431,403</b>	<b>3,811,106,576</b>	<b>8,372,173,626</b>
Percentages of leading industries to all industries.....	53.9	67.1	70.3	76.6	70.3	73.6

<sup>1</sup> In 1952, gross value of products was replaced by value of factory shipments; see text. p. 633.

### Subsection 4.—The Manufactures of the Prairie Provinces

The leading industries of the Prairie Provinces are those based on agricultural resources—the grain-growing, cattle-raising and dairying areas. Next in importance, generally, are industries providing the necessities of the resident population, such as bread baking, printing and publishing, etc. The extensive railway services require large shops for the maintenance of rolling-stock, especially in the Winnipeg area, and the widespread use of motor-vehicles and power machinery on farms has given rise to the establishment of petroleum refineries in each province.

Considering the Prairie Provinces as an economic unit, slaughtering and meat packing had the largest value of shipments in 1952, amounting to \$258,536,646, followed by petroleum products with \$156,595,759, flour mills with \$112,508,829, butter and cheese, \$87,136,621 and railway rolling-stock \$53,515,894. These five industries accounted for about 50 p.c. of the total production of the Prairie Provinces. Other leading industries, in order of value of factory shipments, were: bread and bakery products, breweries, sawmills, miscellaneous food preparations, printing and publishing, sash, door and planing mills, men's factory clothing, furniture, prepared stock and poultry feeds, sugar refining, sheet metal products, etc.