Subsection 2.—Capital and Repair Expenditure

The present series of statistics covering expenditure on fixed capital and repairs by manufacturing industries commences with the year 1944.

Capital expenditure by manufacturers in 1955 totalled \$344,700,000 for construction and \$601,800,000 for machinery and equipment, while \$513,200,000 went for repairs. Of the total capital expenditures amounting to \$946,500,000 in 1955, 15 p.c. was reported by the paper products group, 12 p.c. by products of petroleum and coal, 11 p.c. by foods and beverages, 10 p.c. by iron and steel products and 9 p.c. by non-ferrous metal products.

Of the eleven groups reporting capital expenditures of more than \$25,000,000 in 1955, seven reported greater expenditures than during 1954. Of the increases, paper products led the list with expenditures of \$138,900,000 in 1955 as compared with \$87,300,000 in 1954 followed by non-ferrous metal products with \$83,700,000 compared with \$53,600,000. The groups showing lower capital investment in 1955 than in 1954 were transportation equipment, electrical apparatus and supplies, foods and beverages, and textile products.

28.—Capital and Repair Expenditure by the Manufacturing Industries classified by Province and Industrial Group 1954 and 1955 with Totals for 1946-55

	Capital Expenditure			Repair Expenditure		
Year, Province and Industrial Group	Con- struction	Machin- ery and Equip- ment	Total	Con- struction	Machin- ery and Equip- ment	Total
	\$'000,000	\$'000,000	\$'000,000	\$'000,000	\$'000,000	\$'000,000
1946. 1947. 1948. 1949. 1950. 1951. 1952.	184.7 184.8 156.6 135.4	205.0 343.2 394.2 379.2 367.1 525.0 629.0 644.5	337.2 527.9 579.0 535.8 502.5 792.6 972.6 969.0	56.8 62.4 78.9 66.7 67.6 85.0 95.2 94.6	164.3 210.7 253.9 257.2 279.0 337.0 363.5 385.5	221.1 273.1 332.8 333.9 346.6 422.0 458.7 480.1
1954						
Newfoundland Prince Edward Island Nova Scotia. New Brunswick Quebec. Ontario. Manitoba. Saskatchewan Alberta. British Columbia. Totals, 1954.	2.9 2.0 72.4 124.3 15.1 9.8	5.5 0.2 7.0 6.5 131.5 292.0 11.9 3.5 27.3 49.1	9.0 0.2 9.9 8.5 203.9 416.3 27.0 13.3 49.6 84.4	1.9 0.1 6.1 1.4 22.9 46.0 3.7 2.6 4.2 8.7	4.2 0.3 7.2 8.4 113.9 196.9 8.2 2.3 10.2 39.3	6.1 0.4 13.3 9.8 136.8 242.9 11.9 4.9 14.4 48.0
Foods and beverages. Tobacco and tobacco products Rabber products Leather products Cleather products Clothing (incl. knitting mills). Wood products Paper products Paper products Paper products Paper products Iron and steel products. Iron and steel products. Iron and steel products. Reaperstation equipment Non-ferrous metal products. Relectrical apparatus and supplies. Non-metallic mineral products. Products of petroleum and coal. Chemicals and allied products Miscellaneous industries. Capital items charged to operating expense.	4.6 0.5 7.5 2.2 8.4 21.6 11.7 22.0 20.9 20.3 11.7 19.6 79.6	65.7 2.5 11.1 1.8 21.0 7.6 24.5 65.7 19.7 66.4 44.3 33.3 20.0 24.7 4.5 84.1	104.3 3.1 15.7 2.3 28.5 9.8 32.9 87.3 31.4 65.2 53.6 31.7 43.2 93.6 39.8 7.2	13.2 0.7 1.0 0.6 2.7 1.3 6.2 2.4 12.6 10.9 8.7 3.1 2.8 15.8 6.2	41.2 1.7 5.9 2.0 14.3 4.0 24.1 75.1 4.9 64.0 30.0 40.1 13.6 23.8 11.5 31.4	54.4 2.4 6.9 2.6 17.0 5.3 30.6 83.3 76.6 40.9 48.8 16.7 26.6 27.6 4.3