

of the trustees final statement, the matter was considered as remaining under administration until discharge was granted by the court.

Three estates were reported during 1955 and one in 1956 under the provisions of the Farmers' Creditors Arrangement Act. Of the cases under administration at the inception of each year, two were completed in 1955 and two in 1956.

2.—Bankruptcies and Insolvencies under Federal Legislation by Province 1947-56

NOTE.—Figures from 1923 are given in the corresponding table of previous Year Books beginning with the 1941 edition.

Year	Atlantic Provinces ¹	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1947.....	15	422	72	4	2	6	24	545
1948.....	23	613	116	8	4	8	41	813
1949.....	19	827	131	16	5	13	55	1,066
1950.....	48	967	186	16	9	16	61	1,303
1951.....	44	1,022	227	15	13	14	64	1,399
1952.....	40	1,167	220	13	8	13	48	1,509
1953.....	30	1,221	255	27	19	33	72	1,657
1954.....	45	1,645	414	27	30	44	73	2,278
1955.....	37	1,789	436	27	39	44	76	2,448
1955 ²	36	1,180	406	27	37	42	67	1,795
1956.....	37	1,265	507	23	34	41	59	1,966
Proposals—								
1950.....	2	66	7	1	—	—	3	79
1951.....	4	160	8	—	—	—	4	176
1952.....	1	172	15	—	—	—	3	191
1953.....	—	158	9	2	—	1	1	171
1954.....	1	416	29	4	1	1	4	456
1955.....	7	466	36	2	1	1	5	518
1956.....	9	738	49	2	—	—	14	812

¹ Newfoundland included from 1950.
text on p. 981.

² New series not strictly comparable with previous figures; see

3.—Bankruptcies and Insolvencies under Federal Legislation by Branch of Business 1947-56

NOTE.—Figures from 1924 are given in the corresponding table of previous Year Books beginning with the 1942 edition.

Year	Agriculture	Forestry, Fishing and Trapping	Mining	Manufacturing	Construction	Transportation, Communications and Storage	Trade	Finance and Public Utilities	Service	Not Classified	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1947.....	6	7	—	152	57	20	153	5	92	53	545
1948.....	9	4	3	188	77	30	289	4	144	65	813
1949.....	8	10	10	232	94	46	374	19	203	70	1,066
1950 ¹	24	7	5	257	97	40	502	20	273	78	1,303
1951.....	20	8	8	269	126	42	570	27	265	74	1,399
1952.....	42	2	7	305	114	45	569	32	279	114	1,509
1953.....	37	6	10	359	124	52	650	30	286	105	1,657
1954.....	48	17	15	416	135	67	973	41	408	158	2,278
1955.....	52	8	8	305	287	116	882	44	454	292	2,448
1955 ²	59	3	4	290	309	68	772	14	250	26	1,795
1956.....	45	10	3	341	375	83	781	28	244	56	1,966

¹ Newfoundland included from 1950.
on p. 981.

² New series not strictly comparable with previous years; see text