

Capital expenditures by manufacturers in 1956 totalled \$487,700,000 for construction and \$906,100,000 for machinery and equipment, while \$577,800,000 went for repairs. Of the total capital expenditures, amounting to \$1,393,800,000 in 1956, 18.5 p.c. was reported by the paper products group, 11.7 p.c. by iron and steel, 10.4 p.c. by chemicals and allied products, 8.6 p.c. by non-metallic mineral products, 8.4 p.c. by products of the non-ferrous metals group, 7.8 p.c. by foods and beverages, 6.7 p.c. by petroleum and coal, 4.3 p.c. by transportation equipment, and 3.6 p.c. by the wood products group.

Of the nine groups reporting capital expenditures of \$50,000,000 or more in 1956, eight reported higher expenditures than in 1955; the petroleum and coal group showed a decrease of \$16,000,000. Of the other groups, paper products led the list with an increase of \$118,700,000, followed by chemicals and allied products with \$88,600,000, non-metallic mineral products with \$72,500,000, iron and steel with \$67,300,000, non-ferrous metal products with \$33,500,000, wood products with \$7,900,000, transportation equipment with \$6,000,000, and foods and beverages with \$5,200,000.

**17.—Capital and Repair Expenditures by the Manufacturing Industries, 1947-56, and by Province and Industrial Group, 1956**

Year, Province and Industrial Group	Capital Expenditure			Repair Expenditure		
	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
1947.....	184.7	343.2	527.9	62.4	210.7	273.1
1948.....	184.8	394.2	579.0	78.9	253.9	332.8
1949.....	156.6	379.2	535.8	66.7	267.2	333.9
1950.....	135.4	367.1	502.5	67.6	279.0	346.6
1951.....	267.6	525.0	792.6	85.0	337.0	422.0
1952.....	343.6	629.0	972.6	95.2	363.5	458.7
1953.....	324.5	644.5	969.0	94.6	385.5	480.1
1954.....	287.6	534.5	822.1	97.6	390.9	488.5
1955.....	344.5	601.8	946.3	100.6	413.0	513.6
<b>1956</b>						
Newfoundland.....	1.7	7.8	9.5	1.6	5.1	6.7
Prince Edward Island.....	—	0.2	0.2	—	0.2	0.2
Nova Scotia.....	15.8	9.4	25.2	5.9	9.0	14.9
New Brunswick.....	4.5	12.7	17.2	1.5	9.2	10.7
Quebec.....	114.1	222.6	336.7	30.2	130.8	161.0
Ontario.....	189.2	440.9	630.1	49.7	239.2	288.9
Manitoba.....	9.2	15.0	24.2	3.9	9.3	13.2
Saskatchewan.....	6.7	12.6	19.3	2.2	2.1	4.3
Alberta.....	55.5	58.6	114.1	5.9	10.9	16.8
British Columbia.....	91.0	126.3	217.3	11.3	49.8	61.1
<b>Canada, 1956.....</b>	<b>487.7</b>	<b>906.1</b>	<b>1,393.8</b>	<b>112.2</b>	<b>465.6</b>	<b>577.8</b>
Foods and beverages.....	32.6	76.5	109.1	12.2	45.0	57.2
Tobacco and tobacco products.....	3.5	4.7	8.2	0.9	2.1	3.0
Rubber products.....	2.9	11.0	13.9	1.1	7.4	8.5
Leather products.....	1.8	2.5	4.3	0.7	2.5	3.2
Textile products (except clothing).....	10.3	28.0	38.3	3.4	17.1	20.5
Clothing (textile and fur) <sup>1</sup> .....	1.3	8.4	9.7	1.2	4.4	5.6
Wood products.....	14.0	36.8	50.8	7.4	28.8	36.2
Paper products.....	85.1	172.3	257.4	10.3	85.6	95.9
Printing, publishing and allied industries.....	5.3	20.2	25.5	1.6	5.5	7.1
Iron and steel products.....	40.3	122.2	162.5	15.4	93.5	108.9
Transportation equipment.....	16.7	43.6	60.3	10.6	32.0	42.6
Non-ferrous metal products.....	62.4	55.0	117.4	11.4	50.9	62.3
Electrical apparatus and supplies.....	14.7	26.8	41.5	3.8	15.6	19.4
Non-metallic mineral products.....	51.4	68.6	120.0	3.0	31.7	34.7
Products of petroleum and coal.....	83.9	9.1	93.0	21.6	8.1	29.7
Chemicals and allied products.....	57.9	87.0	144.9	6.2	31.9	38.1
Miscellaneous industries.....	3.6	8.7	12.3	1.4	3.5	4.9
Capital items charged to operating expense.....	—	124.7	124.7	—	—	—

<sup>1</sup> Includes knitting mills.