

**5.—Bankruptcies and Insolvencies by Industries and Economic Areas 1959, with
Totals and Liabilities for 1958 and 1959**

Industry	1959					Totals		Total Liabilities	
	Atlantic Provinces	Quebec	Ontario	Prairie Provinces	British Columbia	1959	1958	1959	1958
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	\$'000	\$'000
Agriculture	3	37	15	4	3	62	49	1,715	1,246
Forestry, Fishing and Trapping	1	5	—	1	4	11	9	544	323
Mining	—	1	3	3	1	8	9	697	440
Manufacturing	7	251	99	7	10	374	356	23,136	16,822
Foods and beverages.....	1	19	5	1	1	27	24	750	1,044
Textiles.....	—	5	—	—	—	5	5	532	368
Clothing.....	2	42	10	—	—	54	47	3,461	2,255
Wood products.....	2	34	16	5	2	59	67	2,365	5,027
Paper products and printing industries.....	—	22	6	—	—	28	21	2,410	546
Iron and steel and transportation equipment.....	—	82	41	1	6	130	125	7,854	3,267
Electrical apparatus and non-ferrous metals.....	2	24	12	—	1	39	24	4,487	1,977
Chemical products.....	—	1	2	—	—	3	1	143	36
Other industries.....	—	22	7	—	—	29	42	1,125	2,301
Construction	6	251	145	17	27	449	367	21,868	16,408
General contractors.....	3	86	68	6	14	177	174	11,272	11,475
Special trade contractors.....	3	165	80	11	13	272	193	10,596	4,933
Transportation, Communications and Storage	—	41	26	7	2	76	105	1,388	3,407
Trade	15	553	281	40	17	906	882	32,172	22,724
Food.....	3	136	43	3	1	186	182	4,967	3,457
General merchandise.....	4	16	5	2	2	29	43	827	1,128
Automotive products.....	—	45	33	5	2	85	79	7,959	3,622
Filling stations.....	—	38	22	2	1	63	54	854	711
Clothing.....	1	72	39	7	5	124	128	2,721	2,418
Shoes.....	—	15	5	1	—	21	9	582	162
Hardware and building materials.....	1	41	41	3	2	88	77	3,827	2,586
Furniture, appliances and radios.....	1	62	43	3	2	111	114	5,714	3,829
Fuel.....	—	13	1	—	—	14	10	547	431
Drugs.....	1	5	3	1	—	10	9	393	124
Jewellery.....	1	18	8	2	—	29	29	742	767
Other.....	3	92	38	11	2	146	148	3,039	3,489
Finance and Public Utilities	2	17	11	2	4	36	42	5,426	2,232
Service	2	210	75	12	8	307	295	8,840	8,373
Community.....	—	11	8	—	—	19	14	330	311
Recreational.....	—	8	5	—	—	13	15	852	957
Business.....	—	22	10	1	2	35	33	2,593	484
Personal.....	2	169	52	11	6	240	233	5,065	6,822
Not Classified	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	802
Totals	36	1,366	658	93	76	2,329	2,125	95,786	72,777