Subsection 7.—Printing, Publishing and Allied Industries

The printing, publishing and allied industries group is made up of six closely related industries: printing and bookbinding, including commercial printers and bookbinders; lithographing, comprised of commercial printing plants using principally the offset printing process; engraving, stereotyping and electrotyping, including photo-engraving; trade composition or type setting for printers; printing and publishing, comprised of publishers who operate printing plants; and "publishers only", including establishments primarily engaged in publishing and which do no printing.

The revenue resulting from the manufacturing activities of all establishments classed in this group (excluding revenue from auxiliary activities such as trade, etc.) amounted to $925,443,000 in 1962, an increase of 4.6 p.c. over the 1961 total of $884,435,000. The revenue from commercial and specialty printing increased to $423,222,000 from $399,633,000 in the same comparison. The important individual revenue items to commercial printers in 1962 were printed advertising ($92,980,000), the printing of newspapers and periodicals for publishers ($44,737,000), continuous forms and individual gummed sets ($41,048,000), printed books and blank books ($27,491,000), greeting cards ($20,488,000), and tags, shipping and merchandise ($19,201,000).

The revenue from publishing (publishing and printing or publishing only) advanced to $438,672,000 from $425,331,000 in 1961. The advertising revenue to publishers of newspapers and periodicals of all kinds rose to $308,912,000 from $298,678,000 and the net revenue from sales or subscriptions to $103,430,000 from $100,059,000 in the same comparison. The revenue from book publishing was $25,810,000 in 1962, slightly less than in the preceding year.

Other revenues reported within this group of industries resulted mainly from specialized services such as plate-making, type-setting, etc., and showed little variation in total from the preceding year.

Section 5.—Forest Administration, Research and Conservation

Subsection 1.—Federal Forestry Program

Administration.—The Federal Government is responsible through several departments and agencies for the protection and administration of the forest resources of the Yukon and Northwest Territories and of other federal lands such as the National Parks, Indian reserves, military areas and forest experiment stations.

Under the Department of Forestry Act, which became effective on Oct. 1, 1960 and which repealed the Canada Forestry Act, the Minister of Forestry's duties, powers and functions extend to and include "all matters over which the Parliament of Canada has jurisdiction relating to the forest resources of Canada" The main functions of the Department of Forestry include: (1) provision for the conduct of research relating to the protection, management and utilization of the forest resources of Canada and the better utilization of forest products; (2) undertaking, promoting or recommending measures for the encouragement of public co-operation in the protection and wise use of the forest resources of Canada; (3) co-operating with provincial governments and others by means of agreements relating to forestry matters; (4) provision of forest surveys and advice relating to the protection and management of federally administered forest lands; and (5) assuming responsibility for forest protection and management on federal lands at the request of the department or agency concerned. The Minister may consult with and inaugurate conferences of provincial or municipal authorities, universities, representatives of industry or other interested persons. The Act provides for the establishment of laboratories and other necessary research facilities, and of forest experimental areas on federal lands and for regulations for the protection, care and management of such areas.

To carry out its responsibilities, the Department maintains an Administration Branch, three Research Branches and an Economics Division. The Administration Branch includes