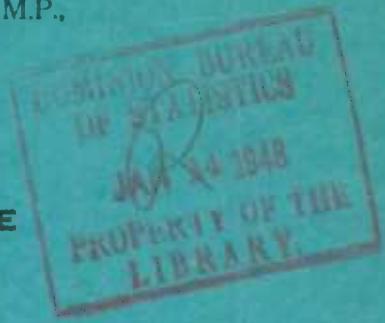


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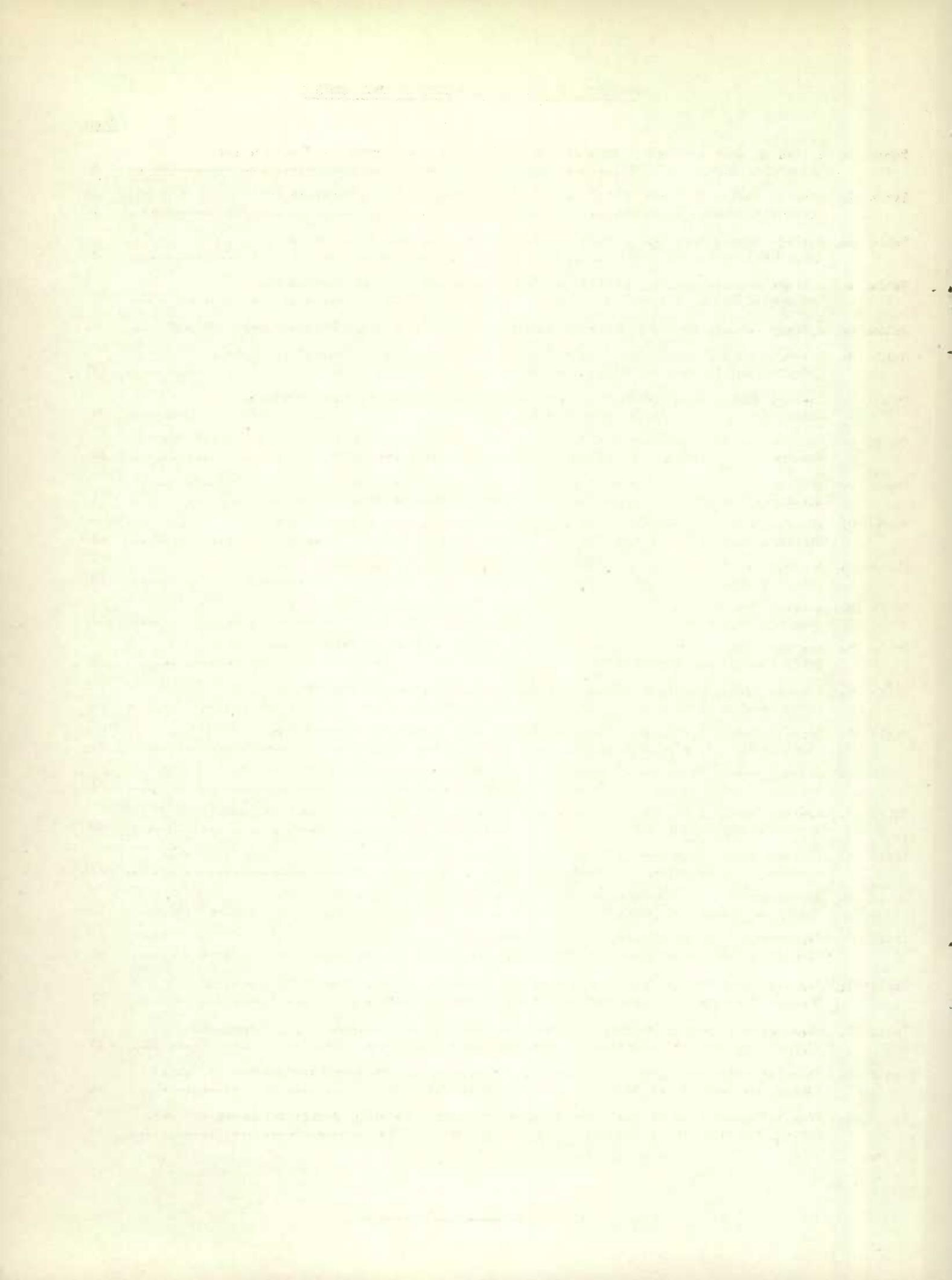
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WEEKLY EARNINGS AND HOURS OF WORK OF MALE AND FEMALE WAGE-EARNERS EMPLOYED
IN THE MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES OF CANADA, 1945

The present report embodies the results of the survey for the year 1945 of weekly earnings and hours worked by wage-earners employed in the manufacturing industries of Canada. The questions relating to earnings and hours were embodied in the forms used in compiling the census of manufactures and for this reason all firms reporting under this category are covered. Each firm was required to give an analysis of a pay-list covering one week during the month of highest employment. For this reason the figures do not refer to any particular month, since the month of highest employment might be May for one firm and October for another; they represent the summation of the different months of highest employment as reported by all firms. For a particular industry, however, the month of highest employment is more significant as in such case it coincides for a great number of firms engaged in the same industry.

Owing to the nature of averages, it becomes difficult in some cases to measure changes in weekly earnings from year to year or week to week. Even when actual earnings increase, the average for an industry or a locality may in some cases show a decrease. Such a condition might arise during periods of accelerated operations through the employment of a proportionately larger number of lower paid workers as compared with those at higher rates of pay. The converse might be true when operations decline. This situation affects particularly small industries or localities employing few workers. Due to the employment of large numbers of female workers who in many cases displaced men receiving high rates of pay, the weekly earnings of female workers in some of the smaller industries fluctuated widely in 1944 and 1945. This was due to the changes in the number of workers involved and also to increases in the rates of wages paid.

1. Analysis of Weekly Earnings of Male Wage-earners

Average weekly earnings of male wage-earners employed in the manufacturing industries of Canada as a whole amounted to \$35.04 in 1945, an increase of \$12.81 or 57.6 per cent as compared with 1939, the year preceding the war. Average hourly earnings also advanced from 46.2 cents in 1939 to 73.6 cents in 1945, an increase of 59.3 per cent. Male wage-earners in British Columbia received the highest average earnings of \$36.21. Ontario came second with \$36.02, followed by Nova Scotia with \$34.57, Quebec \$34.13, Manitoba, \$32.88, Alberta \$32.54, Saskatchewan \$32.36, New Brunswick \$31.67, and Prince Edward Island \$30.00.

In comparing weekly earnings in the major industrial groups, it is found that the iron and steel group reported the highest earnings of \$38.86, being followed by the other groups in the order named: non-ferrous metal products \$36.64, chemicals and allied products \$33.83, non-metallic mineral products \$33.46, miscellaneous industries \$32.70, wood and paper products \$32.34, animal products \$30.73, vegetable products \$30.49, and textiles and textile products \$30.25.

Average weekly earnings in 1945 in the forty industries employing the greatest number of male wage-earners ranged from \$48.53 for automobiles to \$25.69 for fruit and vegetable preparations. In only three industries were weekly earnings above \$40.00. These were: automobiles, aircraft and bridge and structural steel work. In twenty other industries earnings ranged between \$35 and \$40 per week, in six others they ranged between \$30 and \$35, while in the remaining eleven they were below \$30. For details of weekly, hourly and annual earnings of male wage-earners see Table 8.

2. Analysis of Weekly Earnings of Female Wage-Earners

Female wage-earners received on an average \$19.84 per week in 1945, an increase of \$7.06 as compared with 1939. Workers in British Columbia with \$21.96 per week were paid the highest wages. Ontario with \$20.61 ranked second, followed by Saskatchewan with \$19.81, Alberta \$19.55, Quebec \$18.97, Manitoba \$18.03, Nova Scotia \$16.89, New Brunswick \$15.54, and Prince Edward Island \$15.49.

Female wage-earners in the iron and its products group received the highest wage of \$26.82 per week, while in the vegetable products group they received the lowest wage of \$16.59. Female workers in the textile and textile products group normally receive weekly earnings above the average for manufacturing in general. In 1945, however, they received \$1.52 less than the average. Weekly earnings of workers in the iron, non-ferrous metal, non-metallic mineral, and chemical products were above the average, while for those employed in the other groups the average was lower.

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Average weekly earnings of female wage-earners have a narrower range than those of male workers. Weekly earnings in the forty industries employing the greatest number of female wage-earners in 1945 ranged between \$36.02 for aircraft and \$14.11 for bread and other bakery products. In only five industries were weekly earnings above \$25. These were: aircraft \$36.02, miscellaneous iron and steel products \$28.76, brass and copper products \$27.47, scientific and professional equipment \$26.37, and automobile supplies \$25.30. In ten other industries weekly earnings ranged between \$25 and \$20, in the next twenty-two they were between \$20 and \$15, while in the remaining three they were below \$15. For details of weekly, hourly and annual earnings of female wage-earners, see Table 9.

3. Analysis of Annual Earnings of Male Wage-earners

The ranking of the industries as regards annual earnings is in most cases different to that of the weekly earnings. As annual earnings are the resultant of two factors (a) weekly earnings and (b) the number of weeks worked during the year, marked differences appear in their ranking as compared with weekly earnings.

Average annual earnings of male wage-earners in all industries totalled \$1,739, in 1945 as compared with \$1,076 in 1939. In British Columbia they were \$1,879, in Ontario \$1,790, Quebec \$1,684, Manitoba \$1,667, Nova Scotia \$1,640, Alberta \$1,599, Saskatchewan \$1,526, New Brunswick \$1,515, and Prince Edward Island \$1,080.

Male wage-earners in the iron and its products group received the highest annual earnings of \$1,978. Non-ferrous metal products ranked second with \$1,841, followed by chemicals and allied products with \$1,803, non-metallic mineral products \$1,725, miscellaneous industries \$1,607, vegetable products \$1,563, wood and paper products \$1,547, textiles and textile products \$1,519, and animal products \$1,490.

The highest annual earnings of \$2,385 were received by the wage-earners employed in the automobile industry. The aircraft industry with \$2,295 came second, followed by bridge and structural steel with \$2,078, shipbuilding \$2,063, miscellaneous iron and steel products \$2,056, railway rolling-stock \$1,996, acids, alkalies and salts \$1,964, non-ferrous metal smelting and refining \$1,953, automobile supplies \$1,945, petroleum products \$1,934, etc. For annual earnings in the forty leading industries, see Table 8.

4. Analysis of Annual Earnings of Female Wage-earners

Annual earnings of female wage-earners at \$984 for manufacturing as a whole were only 57 per cent of male earnings. British Columbia with \$1,139 and Ontario with \$1,024 were the only two provinces with annual earnings above the Dominion average.

Female workers in the iron and its products group of industries received the highest annual earnings of \$1,365. Non-ferrous metal products came second, followed by chemicals and allied products, non-metallic mineral products, miscellaneous industries, textiles and textile products, animal products, vegetable products and wood and paper products.

The aircraft industry occupied the dominant position in annual earnings, with an average of \$1,873. The miscellaneous iron and steel products industry was in second place with \$1,509, followed by brass and copper products with \$1,376, scientific and professional equipment \$1,298, automobile supplies \$1,257, miscellaneous chemical products \$1,242, electrical apparatus and supplies \$1,210, slaughtering and meat packing \$1,145, glass products \$1,095, fur goods \$1,091, etc. The leather glove and mitten industry with \$713 had the lowest average annual earnings of the forty industries employing the greatest number of female wage-earners.

5. Analysis of Hourly Earnings of Male Wage-earners

The forms used in compiling the census of manufactures since 1938 require firms to give separate information on hours worked by male and female wage-earners. Prior to this, information on hours worked covered all wage-earners, and were not broken down by sex. As a result of this breakdown it is now possible to estimate hourly earnings for males and females separately.

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According to Table 6, hourly earnings of male wage-earners in all manufacturing industries amounted to 73.6 cents, an increase of 27.4 cents or 59.3 per cent since 1939. Workers in the iron and its products group were paid on an average of 82.0 cents per hour, while those employed in the vegetable products group received the lowest hourly earnings of 62.2 cents. Wage-earners in the iron and non-ferrous metal products groups were paid above the average for manufacturing in general, while workers in the chemical, non-metallic mineral, vegetable, animal, textile, wood and paper and miscellaneous industries groups, were paid below the average.

In hourly earnings the automobile industries ranked first with an average of \$1.069 per hour. In only twelve other industries were hourly earnings over 80 cents. These industries were: aircraft, women's factory clothing, printing and publishing, railway rolling-stock, bridge and structural steel, shipbuilding, petroleum products, men's factory clothing, brass and copper products, miscellaneous iron and steel products, automobile supplies and primary iron and steel. In fourteen others they ranged between 70 and 80 cents, while in the remaining thirteen they were below 70 cents. Of the forty industries employing the greatest number of male wage-earners, fruit and vegetable preparations had the lowest earnings of 52.2 cents per hour.

6. Analysis of Hourly Earnings of Female Wage-earners

Female wage-earners in 1945 were paid on an average 46.5 cents per hour in the manufacturing industries as a whole, an increase of 18.2 cents or 64.3 per cent as compared with 1939. Hourly earnings ranged between 53.4 cents in British Columbia to 30.7 cents in Prince Edward Island. In British Columbia and Ontario hourly earnings were above the Dominion average while in the other provinces they were below it.

Hourly earnings in the iron and its products group ranked first with 60.8 cents. Non-ferrous metal products came second, with 55 cents, followed by chemicals and allied products with 49.5 cents, non-metallic mineral products 48.6 cents, miscellaneous industries 46.4 cents, animal products 43.3 cents, textiles 43.1 cents, wood and paper products 40.6 cents and vegetable products 39.2 cents.

Aircraft was the leading industry in 1945 with 80.8 cents per hour, followed by miscellaneous iron and steel products with 64.6 cents, brass and copper products 61.3 cents, scientific and professional equipment 60.1 cents, automobile supplies 58.7 cents, electrical apparatus and supplies 55.4 cents, fur goods 54.8 cents, miscellaneous chemicals 51.6 cents, hats and caps 51.6 cents, women's factory clothing 50.5 cents, machinery 50.2 cents and slaughtering and meat packing 50.1 cents. These were the only industries in which hourly earnings were above 50 cents. In fourteen other industries hourly earnings ranged between 40 and 50 cents, while in the remaining fourteen they were below 40 cents. The bread and other bakery products industry with 33.3 cents per hour was the lowest paying industry of the forty industries employing the greatest number of female wage-earners.

7. Analysis of Hours Worked per Week by Male and Female Wage-earners

Male wage-earners in 1945 worked on an average 47.6 hours per week, a decrease of half an hour over 1939. Of these, 30.2 per cent worked 44 hours or less, 42.7 per cent worked between 45 and 50 hours, 13.3 per cent worked between 51 and 55 hours, and 13.8 per cent worked over 56 hours. Female wage-earners worked shorter hours, averaging 42.7 hours per week in 1945. This was 4.9 hours less than the number of hours worked by male wage-earners. Of the female wage-earners employed 49.3 per cent worked 44 hours or less, 40.0 per cent worked between 45 and 50 hours, 7.6 per cent worked between 51 and 55 hours, and 3.1 per cent worked 56 hours or over.

Due to the changes in the method of collecting the statistics of the hours of work, it becomes difficult to measure the changes in the working week from year to year. For example, prior to 1938 no breakdown by sex was requested, and the hours worked were regular hours not including overtime. Since 1938 the weekly hours of work were broken down by sex and for 1940 to 1945 include overtime. Prior to the war the average working week for both male and female wage-earners was 48.3 hours. In 1942 the hours per week rose to 50.2, the increase no doubt being due to the overtime work in plants engaged in war production. In 1943 and 1944, however, the hours worked declined to 48.8 and 47.5, respectively, this decline being due to the employment of part-time workers, and not so much to a drop in the hours worked by the full-time employees. In 1945, due to the general shortening of the working week, the hours worked totalled only 46.2, a decrease of 1.3 hours as compared with the previous year and a drop of one hour as compared with 1939.

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Table 1. - Number of Male and Female Wage-earners Covered by the Survey, by Province and Industrial Group, 1934-45

Province and Group	1934	1939	1943	1944	1945
M A L E					
Province -					
Prince Edward Island	711	487	801	858	746
Nova Scotia	16,833	14,054	30,461	30,911	25,313
New Brunswick	12,877	13,286	20,187	19,660	13,669
Quebec	114,088	144,484	298,983	294,868	264,123
Ontario	190,867	218,202	381,363	371,440	357,029
Manitoba	16,019	16,357	25,980	28,210	26,645
Saskatchewan	4,710	4,445	8,908	9,668	7,007
Alberta	11,045	9,558	15,728	16,633	14,475
British Columbia	1/ 6,479	34,158	83,605	77,706	56,695
Yukon and Northwest Territories ...	4/	79	78	80	49
CANADA	373,629	455,110	866,094	850,034	765,751
Industrial Group -					
Vegetable products	50,588	64,081	72,863	85,277	87,600
Animal products	39,286	5/ 28,495	5/ 35,730	5/ 38,069	5/ 41,944
Textiles and textile products	3/ 50,168	51,517	57,304	55,365	58,594
Wood and paper products	83,257	127,455	163,466	167,531	6/ 114,827
Iron and its products	77,527	111,797	368,673	348,833	314,884
Non-ferrous metal products	15,458	31,654	75,595	69,084	61,736
Non-metallic mineral products	22,272	20,415	25,705	25,770	27,419
Chemicals and allied products	10,042	12,328	54,122	47,528	44,532
Miscellaneous industries	9,642	7,368	12,636	12,577	14,215
Central electric stations	15,389	2/	2/	2/	2/
F E M A L E					
Province -					
Prince Edward Island	433	154	243	330	353
Nova Scotia	3,596	2,905	6,003	5,494	4,780
New Brunswick	3,229	1,995	4,572	4,079	3,801
Quebec	53,988	56,729	130,094	122,139	115,002
Ontario	60,136	60,981	167,817	169,613	154,482
Manitoba	3,976	3,695	9,573	11,579	10,462
Saskatchewan	363	289	1,800	1,828	1,813
Alberta	1,186	1,083	4,007	4,736	4,221
British Columbia	1/ 637	4,018	17,796	19,071	15,825
Yukon and Northwest	-	-	3	2	6
CANADA	127,544	131,849	341,908	338,871	310,745
Industrial Group -					
Vegetable products	28,333	32,497	52,176	59,067	56,821
Animal products	14,416	5/ 11,672	5/ 20,008	5/ 21,795	5/ 22,491
Textiles and textile products	3/ 60,454	61,159	96,360	92,806	96,124
Wood and paper products	10,475	10,516	28,132	28,869	6/ 27,455
Iron and its products	3,702	3,837	66,368	62,079	42,549
Non-ferrous metal products	4,223	5,389	29,509	30,450	25,884
Non-metallic mineral products	535	814	3,358	3,742	3,745
Chemicals and allied products	2,979	3,372	37,000	31,422	26,258
Miscellaneous industries	2,251	2,593	8,997	8,641	9,418
Central electric stations	176	2/	2/	2/	2/

- 1/ A survey of weekly earnings was made by the government of British Columbia for 1934. For this reason, very few industries were covered by the survey conducted by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.
- 2/ Central electric stations are not included.
- 3/ Dyeing, cleaning and laundry work is included.
- 4/ Included with British Columbia.
- 5/ Butter and cheese factories as well as fish curing and packing plants are not included.
- 6/ Sawmills not included.

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Table 2. - Average Weekly Earnings of Male and Female Wage-earners, by Province and Industrial Group, 1934-45.

Province and Group	1934	1939	1943	1944	1945
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
M A L E					
Province -					
Prince Edward Island	13.23	12.88	26.44	28.10	30.00
Nova Scotia	16.94	19.20	32.22	34.01	34.67
New Brunswick	16.26	18.18	26.69	29.19	31.67
Quebec	18.90	20.03	32.49	33.53	34.13
Ontario	21.52	23.83	34.99	36.30	36.02
Manitoba	21.68	23.61	30.86	32.36	32.88
Saskatchewan	19.42	20.62	29.34	29.99	32.36
Alberta	21.04	22.23	29.49	31.50	32.54
British Columbia	22.51	23.73	37.57	38.08	36.21
Yukon and Northwest Territories	2/	33.28	46.38	45.79	48.96
CANADA	3/ 20.31	22.23	33.80	34.95	36.04
Industrial Group-					
Vegetable products	18.81	19.75	27.81	29.15	30.49
Animal products	18.53	4/ 20.18	4/ 28.58	4/ 30.21	4/ 30.73
Textiles and textile products	1/ 18.65	19.96	28.14	29.49	30.25
Wood and paper products	19.22	20.59	27.86	29.48	5/ 32.34
Iron and its products	23.30	26.11	38.92	40.53	38.86
Non-ferrous metal products	21.01	25.24	34.97	35.65	36.64
Non-metallic mineral products	21.41	23.89	32.75	34.18	33.46
Chemicals and allied products	20.79	22.25	33.42	34.40	33.83
Miscellaneous industries	20.25	19.44	32.87	30.81	32.70
F E M A L E					
Province -					
Prince Edward Island	8.19	7.50	12.25	12.00	15.49
Nova Scotia	9.21	11.03	17.51	19.63	16.89
New Brunswick	8.73	10.01	14.04	15.16	15.54
Quebec	10.93	12.14	18.09	20.09	18.97
Ontario	12.86	13.52	20.13	21.35	20.61
Manitoba	12.03	12.64	16.48	18.24	18.03
Saskatchewan	11.41	11.53	20.19	19.86	19.81
Alberta	13.32	13.72	18.30	20.01	19.55
British Columbia	12.61	12.89	24.46	25.57	21.96
CANADA	3/ 11.80	12.78	19.33	20.89	19.84
Industrial Group-					
Vegetable products	10.66	11.32	15.16	16.25	16.59
Animal products	10.92	4/ 12.72	4/ 16.70	4/ 17.96	4/ 18.34
Textiles and textile products	1/ 12.43	13.37	16.97	17.82	18.32
Wood and paper products	11.58	12.52	16.00	16.50	5/ 17.03
Iron and its products	12.64	15.21	26.98	31.30	26.82
Non-ferrous metal products	13.05	13.43	22.24	22.56	23.76
Non-metallic mineral products	11.35	13.32	18.42	21.06	21.10
Chemicals and allied products	11.67	12.51	19.16	22.57	21.45
Miscellaneous industries	12.09	12.88	19.96	20.52	19.36

1/ Includes dyeing, cleaning and laundry work.

2/ Included with British Columbia.

3/ Includes central electric stations and laundries.

4/ Does not include butter and cheese factories, and fish curing and packing plants.

5/ Does not include sawmills.

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Table 3. - Average Hourly Earnings of Male and Female Wage-earners, by Province and Industrial Group, 1938-45

Province and Group	1938	1939	1943	1944	1945
	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
<u>M A L E</u>					
Province -					
Prince Edward Island	19.8	25.9	47.2	50.0	59.3
Nova Scotia	35.6	37.6	61.5	68.0	72.8
New Brunswick	33.7	36.1	50.9	57.1	63.1
Quebec	40.1	41.0	62.2	65.6	68.7
Ontario	49.1	50.3	70.4	75.4	77.1
Manitoba	54.1	53.1	62.6	68.6	71.3
Saskatchewan	42.2	43.0	56.8	58.9	69.4
Alberta	45.9	47.6	59.7	64.4	70.7
British Columbia)	51.8	81.3	84.3	83.4
Yukon and Northwest Territories	52.7)	63.6	95.6	91.0	98.7
CANADA	45.5	46.2	67.1	71.2	73.6
Industrial Group -					
Vegetable products	39.0	39.4	55.4	59.0	62.2
Animal products	1/ 39.5	2/ 42.1	2/ 58.2	2/ 63.5	66.7
Textiles and textile products	39.2	41.8	57.5	61.4	63.7
Wood and paper products	40.6	41.3	54.3	58.1	3/ 67.5
Iron and its products	57.8	58.0	76.3	82.5	82.0
Non-ferrous metal products	53.7	54.3	69.9	74.0	77.8
Non-metallic mineral products	47.5	50.6	66.6	70.5	70.6
Chemical and allied products	48.7	49.3	67.8	71.7	71.4
Miscellaneous industries	42.3	41.9	67.4	66.8	71.2
<u>F E M A L E</u>					
Province -					
Prince Edward Island	11.6	15.2	23.2	27.0	30.7
Nova Scotia	18.4	21.8	37.1	42.0	36.8
New Brunswick	16.9	21.3	30.7	33.8	35.2
Quebec	25.5	26.7	39.4	44.6	42.9
Ontario	29.7	30.0	45.9	50.2	49.5
Manitoba	29.0	29.3	38.0	42.5	42.3
Saskatchewan	27.5	26.7	41.9	45.8	45.6
Alberta	31.3	31.4	40.5	44.8	46.0
British Columbia	32.6	29.8	56.0	58.4	53.4
CANADA	27.1	28.3	43.1	47.9	46.5
Industrial Group -					
Vegetable products	25.3	25.2	35.3	38.4	39.2
Animal products	1/ 23.1	2/ 27.8	2/ 37.4	2/ 41.9	43.3
Textiles and textile products	27.9	29.3	38.0	41.3	43.1
Wood and paper products	28.6	28.1	37.0	39.4	3/ 40.6
Iron and its products	36.0	34.6	57.2	67.7	60.8
Non-ferrous metal products	34.0	30.0	48.0	50.7	55.0
Non-metallic mineral products	22.2	29.6	41.3	47.7	48.6
Chemicals and allied products	28.4	28.9	41.9	51.3	49.5
Miscellaneous industries	29.4	29.0	46.1	49.7	46.4

1/ Does not include butter and cheese factories.

2/ Does not include butter and cheese factories, and fish curing and packing plants.

3/ Does not include sawmills.

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Table 4. - Average Annual Earnings of Male and Female Wage-earners, by Province and Industrial Group, 1934-45

Province and Industrial Group	1934	1939	1943	1944	1945
M A L E					
Province -					
Prince Edward Island	540	581	992	1,172	1,080
Nova Scotia	809	939	1,571	1,677	1,640
New Brunswick	783	894	1,369	1,474	1,515
Quebec	855	984	1,642	1,671	1,684
Ontario	982	1,127	1,812	1,843	1,790
Manitoba	960	1,165	1,553	1,653	1,667
Saskatchewan	926	1,059	1,461	1,500	1,526
Alberta	940	1,096	1,492	1,568	1,599
British Columbia	1,006	1,201	1,903	1,920	1,879
Yukon and Northwest Territories	2/	1,734	2,092	1,922	2,110
CANADA	3/ 930	1,076	1,726	1,761	1,739
Industrial Group -					
Vegetable products	883	1,006	1,440	1,522	1,563
Animal products	844	4/ 957	4/ 1,369	4/ 1,445	4/ 1,490
Textiles and textile products	1/ 835	929	1,406	1,482	1,519
Wood and paper products	901	1,040	1,431	1,508	5/ 1,547
Iron and its products	980	1,206	1,978	2,003	1,978
Non-ferrous metal products	1,054	1,241	1,799	1,846	1,841
Non-metallic mineral products	1,022	1,188	1,698	1,750	1,725
Chemicals and allied products	1,016	1,169	1,788	1,777	1,803
Miscellaneous industries	911	947	1,643	1,664	1,607
F E M A L E					
Province -					
Prince Edward Island	335	288	459	500	557
Nova Scotia	437	539	853	968	799
New Brunswick	423	493	720	765	744
Quebec	496	596	916	1,001	935
Ontario	589	640	1,042	1,084	1,024
Manitoba	528	623	829	932	914
Saskatchewan	546	592	1,005	993	934
Alberta	592	676	925	996	961
British Columbia	563	652	1,239	1,288	1,139
Yukon and Northwest Territories	-	-	676	-	-
CANADA	3/ 539	619	987	1,051	984
Industrial Group -					
Vegetable products	503	576	785	848	850
Animal products	498	4/ 603	4/ 799	4/ 860	4/ 890
Textiles and Textile products	1/ 559	622	848	895	919
Wood and paper products	541	532	821	844	5/ 815
Iron and its products	529	703	1,371	1,546	1,365
Non-ferrous metal products	653	660	1,144	1,169	1,193
Non-metallic mineral products	542	662	954	1,078	1,088
Chemicals and allied products	569	657	1,025	1,166	1,143
Miscellaneous industries	547	628	997	1,108	951

1/ Includes dyeing, cleaning and laundry work.

2/ Included with British Columbia.

3/ Includes central electric stations and laundries.

4/ Does not include butter and cheese factories, and fish curing and packing plants.

5/ Does not include sawmills.

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Table 5. - Average Annual, Weekly and Hourly Earnings of Male and Female Wage-earners, 1934-45. (2)

Year	Average Earnings			Hours Worked per Week	Average Earnings			Hours Worked per Week
	Annual	Weekly	Hourly		Annual	Weekly	Hourly	
	\$	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$	\$	No.
MALE								
1934	930	20.31	0.407	49.9 1/	539	11.80	0.251	46.9 1/
1935	966	20.41	0.413	49.4 1/	570	12.04	0.259	46.5 1/
1936	995	20.92	0.423	49.4 1/	577	12.20	0.262	46.5 1/
1938	1,055	21.52	0.455	47.3	594	12.11	0.271	44.0
1939	1,076	22.23	0.462	48.1	619	12.78	0.283	45.2
1940	1,202	24.78	0.487	50.9	654	13.49	0.285	47.3
1941	1,355	27.72	0.538	51.5	736	15.05	0.316	47.6
1942	1,558	31.75	0.619	51.3	854	17.41	0.371	46.9
1943	1,726	33.80	0.671	50.4	987	19.33	0.431	44.8
1944	1,761	34.96	0.712	49.1	1,051	20.89	0.479	43.6
1945	1,739	35.04	0.736	47.6	984	19.84	0.465	42.7

1/ Estimated on the basis of hours worked by female wage-earners in 1938 and 1939 as compared with those worked by male wage-earners in those years.

2/ Butter and cheese factories and fish curing and packing plants are excluded in the years 1938 to 1945, while sawmills are also excluded in 1945. By including sawmills weekly earnings in 1945 would have been about \$34.35.

Table 6. - Average Annual, Weekly and Hourly Earnings of Wage-earners, Classified by Sex, Province and Industrial Group, 1945

Province and Group	Average Earnings			Hours Worked per Week	Average Earnings			Hours Worked per Week
	Annual	Weekly	Hourly		Annual	Weekly	Hourly	
	\$	\$	Cents	No.	\$	\$	Cents	No.
MALE								
Prince Edward Island	1,080	30.00	59.3	50.6	557	15.49	30.7	50.5
Nova Scotia	1,640	34.67	72.8	47.6	799	16.89	36.8	45.9
New Brunswick	1,515	31.67	63.1	50.2	744	15.54	35.2	44.1
Quebec	1,684	34.13	68.7	49.7	935	18.97	42.9	44.2
Ontario	1,790	36.02	77.1	46.7	1,024	20.61	49.5	41.6
Manitoba	1,667	32.88	71.3	46.1	914	18.03	42.3	42.6
Saskatchewan	1,526	32.36	69.4	46.6	934	19.81	45.6	43.4
Alberta	1,599	32.54	70.7	46.0	961	19.55	46.0	42.5
British Columbia	1,879	36.21	83.4	43.4	1,139	21.96	53.4	41.1
Yukon and Northwest Territories	2,110	48.96	98.7	49.6	-	-	-	-
CANADA 1/	1,739	35.04	73.6	47.6	984	19.84	46.5	42.7
Vegetable products	1,563	30.49	62.2	49.0	850	16.59	39.2	42.3
Animal products 1/	1,490	30.73	66.7	46.1	890	18.34	43.3	42.4
Textiles and textile products ..	1,519	30.25	63.7	47.5	919	18.32	43.1	42.5
Wood and paper products 2/ ...	1,547	32.34	67.5	47.9	815	17.03	40.6	41.9
Iron and its products	1,978	38.86	82.0	47.4	1,365	26.82	60.8	44.1
Non-ferrous metal products	1,841	36.64	77.8	47.1	1,193	23.76	55.0	43.2
Non-metallic mineral products ..	1,725	33.46	70.6	47.4	1,088	21.10	48.6	43.4
Chemicals and allied products ..	1,803	33.83	71.4	47.4	1,143	21.45	49.5	43.3
Miscellaneous industries	1,607	32.70	71.2	45.9	951	19.36	46.4	41.7

1/ Exclusive of "butter and cheese" and "fish curing and packing" plants.

2/ Exclusive of sawmills.

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Table 7. - Average Weekly Earnings of Male and Female Wage-earners in each Province,
Classified by Sex and Industrial Group, 1945

Group	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brun- wick	Quebec	Ontario	Mani- toba	Saskat- chewan	Alberta	British Columbia	Yukon and Northwest Terri- tories	Canada
<u>M A L E</u>											
Vegetable products	22.14	25.84	28.26	28.54	31.53	31.47	29.12	31.78	32.24	-	30.49
Animal products 1/	39.19	24.41	25.64	28.20	32.87	33.02	31.20	29.11	32.68	-	30.73
Textiles and textile products	-	25.39	27.58	29.18	32.09	31.46	28.92	27.17	32.11	-	30.25
Wood and paper products 2/	21.07	28.16	31.32	31.98	32.47	32.27	30.56	31.64	35.04	45.50	32.34
Iron and its products ..	37.13	37.28	34.68	39.10	39.66	34.47	37.45	37.41	37.55	-	38.86
Non-ferrous metal products	-	-	-	37.46	36.25	31.45	-	23.20	37.54	-	36.64
Non-metallic mineral products	-	33.77	29.90	31.83	34.68	29.64	35.37	31.20	34.19	-	33.46
Chemicals and allied products	-	28.80	31.02	33.69	34.44	30.81	27.80	35.22	35.99	-	33.83
Miscellaneous industries	-	24.71	29.33	28.32	34.76	29.90	30.93	29.26	33.73	-	32.70
All groups 3/	30.00	34.67	31.67	34.13	36.02	32.88	32.36	32.54	36.21	48.96	35.04
<u>F E M A L E</u>											
Vegetable products	15.68	15.41	14.08	16.91	16.49	14.36	15.97	17.11	18.06	-	16.59
Animal products 1/	17.68	16.02	16.46	16.95	18.61	21.14	22.96	22.61	20.08	-	18.34
Textiles and textile products	-	15.20	16.74	18.22	18.68	17.56	20.11	17.91	20.19	-	18.32
Wood and paper products	10.46	15.68	16.35	15.63	16.86	16.95	16.25	17.13	21.84	-	17.03
Iron and its products ..	25.22	25.33	22.72	24.54	27.23	22.24	27.88	25.89	29.21	-	26.82
Non-ferrous metal products	-	-	-	25.87	23.13	19.25	-	18.69	26.58	-	23.76
Non-metallic mineral products	-	25.38	15.73	19.70	21.20	20.40	21.50	22.14	28.27	-	21.10
Chemicals and allied products	-	15.41	16.46	21.54	21.26	21.29	15.72	23.21	26.02	-	21.45
Miscellaneous industries	-	13.20	16.31	15.81	20.82	17.05	16.09	16.13	17.03	-	19.36
All groups 1/	15.49	16.89	15.54	18.97	20.61	18.03	19.81	19.55	21.96	-	19.84

1/ Does not include butter and cheese factories and fish curing and packing plants.

2/ Does not include sawmills.

3/ Does not include butter and cheese factories, fish curing and packing plants and sawmills.

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Table 8. - Rank According to the Average Annual, Weekly and Hourly Earnings of the Forty Industries Employing the Greatest Number of Male Wage-Earners, 1945

Industry	Average Weekly Earnings		Average Hourly Earnings		Average Annual Earnings		Average Hours Worked per Week
	Amount	Rank	Amount	Rank	Amount	Rank	
1. Automobiles	\$ 48.53	1	.1.069	1	\$ 2,385	1	45.4
2. Aircraft	44.13	2	.951	2	2,295	2	46.4
3. Bridge and structural steel	41.23	3	.862	6	2,078	3	47.8
4. Shipbuilding and repairs	39.54	4	.843	7	2,063	4	46.9
5. Railway rolling-stock	39.51	5	.866	5	1,996	6	45.6
6. Primary iron and steel	39.50	6	.811	13	1,930	11	48.7
7. Miscellaneous iron and steel products ..	39.20	7	.812	11	2,056	5	48.3
8. Automobile supplies	39.14	8	.812	12	1,945	9	48.2
9. Brass and copper products	38.50	9	.816	10	1,927	12	47.2
10. Clothing, women's factory	38.15	10	.926	3	1,918	13	41.2
11. Machine shops	37.88	11	.776	17	1,833	18	48.8
12. Non-ferrous metal smelting and refining	37.76	12	.785	14	1,953	8	48.1
13. Agricultural implements	37.49	13	.783	15	1,783	23	47.9
14. Printing and publishing	37.31	14	.876	4	1,913	14	42.6
15. Acids, alkalies and salts	37.16	15	.768	18	1,964	7	48.4
16. Pulp and paper	37.05	16	.734	24	1,892	15	50.5
17. Petroleum products	36.95	17	.827	8	1,934	10	44.7
18. Castings, iron	36.31	18	.744	21	1,828	19	48.8
19. Machinery	36.09	19	.737	23	1,743	26	49.0
20. Rubber goods, incl. rubber footwear ...	36.05	20	.779	16	1,802	22	46.3
21. Hardware, tools and cutlery	36.00	21	.741	22	1,809	20	48.6
22. Electrical apparatus and supplies	35.83	22	.762	19	1,803	21	47.0
23. Clothing, men's factory	35.12	23	.821	9	1,747	25	42.8
24. Breweries	34.64	24	.678	29	1,846	17	51.1
25. Miscellaneous chemical products	34.23	25	.716	25	1,851	16	47.8
26. Sheet metal products	33.65	26	.713	26	1,662	27	47.2
27. Printing and bookbinding	33.52	27	.752	20	1,661	28	44.6
28. Heating and cooking apparatus	32.97	28	.693	28	1,620	29	47.6
29. Slaughtering and meat packing	32.74	29	.710	27	1,765	24	46.1
30. Bread and other bakery products	29.65	30	.593	32	1,518	30	50.0
31. Silk and artificial silk	29.11	31	.576	34	1,428	34	50.5
32. Hosiery and knitted goods	28.98	32	.600	31	1,460	32	48.3
33. Flour and feed mills	28.46	33	.565	36	1,498	31	50.4
34. Furniture	28.08	34	.604	30	1,340	36	46.5
35. Boxes, wooden	27.43	35	.556	37	1,303	37	49.3
36. Boots and shoes, leather	27.17	36	.589	33	1,299	38	46.1
37. Cotton yarn and cloth	27.11	37	.549	38	1,432	33	49.4
38. Biscuits, confectionery, cocoa, etc. ...	26.84	38	.566	35	1,410	35	47.4
39. Planing mills, sash and door factories.	26.05	39	.535	39	1,270	39	48.7
40. Fruit and vegetable preparations	25.69	40	.522	40	1,214	40	49.2
Average, forty leading industries	35.92		.755		1,822		47.6
Average, all industries (1).....	35.04		.736		1,739		47.6

1/ Exclusive of sawmills, butter and cheese and fish curing and packing.

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Table 9. - Rank According to the Average Annual, Weekly and Hourly Earnings of the Forty Industries Employing the Greatest Number of Female Wage-earners, 1945.

Industry	Average Weekly Earnings		Average Hourly Earnings		Average Annual Earnings		Average Hours Worked per Week
	Amount	Rank	Amount	Rank	Amount	Rank	
1. Aircraft	36.02	1	80.8	1	1,873	1	44.6
2. Miscellaneous iron and steel products ...	28.76	2	64.6	2	1,509	2	44.5
3. Brass and copper products	27.47	3	61.3	3	1,376	3	44.8
4. Scientific and professional equipment ...	26.37	4	60.1	4	1,298	4	43.9
5. Automobile supplies	25.30	5	58.7	5	1,257	5	43.1
6. Electrical apparatus and supplies	24.05	6	55.4	6	1,210	7	43.4
7. Fur goods	23.57	7	54.8	7	1,091	10	43.0
8. Miscellaneous chemical products	22.98	8	51.6	8	1,242	6	44.5
9. Machinery	22.38	9	50.2	11	1,081	11	44.6
10. Sheet metal products	21.35	10	47.8	15	1,054	12	44.7
11. Slaughtering and meat packing	21.25	11	50.1	12	1,145	8	42.4
12. Glass products	21.18	12	49.0	13	1,095	9	43.2
13. Clothing contractors, men's	20.55	13	48.1	14	897	23	42.7
14. Hats and caps	20.18	14	51.6	9	930	18	39.1
15. Hardware, tools and cutlery	20.00	15	45.0	17	1,006	13	44.4
16. Clothing, women's factory	19.91	16	50.5	10	1,001	14	39.4
17. Rubber goods, including rubber footwear .	19.63	17	47.1	16	982	15	41.7
18. Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	19.00	18	44.4	18	941	17	42.8
19. Silk and artificial silk	18.42	19	40.4	24	904	20	45.6
20. Furniture	18.42	20	43.6	20	879	25	42.2
21. Cotton yarn and cloth	18.27	21	39.1	29	965	16	46.7
22. Miscellaneous cotton textiles	18.17	22	44.2	19	826	28	41.1
23. Jewellery and silverware	18.14	23	43.6	21	888	24	41.6
24. Clothing, men's factory	18.13	24	42.7	22	901	21	42.5
25. Woollen cloth	18.08	25	41.2	23	923	19	43.9
26. Boots and shoes, leather	16.95	26	38.9	31	811	30	43.6
27. Woollen yarns	16.85	27	38.8	32	853	27	43.4
28. Miscellaneous paper products	16.67	28	39.6	27	857	26	42.1
29. Fruit and vegetable preparations	16.41	29	37.9	35	776	33	43.3
30. Miscellaneous leather goods	16.39	30	40.3	25	773	34	40.7
31. Medicinal and pharmaceutical preparations	16.24	31	40.3	26	899	22	40.3
32. Boxes and bags, paper	16.20	32	38.0	34	810	31	42.6
33. Corsets	16.00	33	36.4	37	749	38	44.0
34. Hosiery and knitted goods	15.98	34	37.2	36	804	32	43.0
35. Printing and publishing	15.84	35	39.3	28	813	29	40.3
36. Printing and bookbinding	15.54	36	39.0	30	771	35	39.8
37. Gloves and mittens, leather	15.20	37	38.5	33	713	40	39.5
38. Biscuits, confectionery, cocoa, etc.	14.44	38	35.7	39	759	36	40.4
39. Miscellaneous food	14.13	39	35.8	38	755	37	39.5
40. Bread and other bakery products	14.11	40	33.3	40	723	39	42.4
Average, forty leading industries	19.79		46.2		1,001		42.8
Average, all industries (1)	19.84		46.5		984		42.7

1/ Exclusive of sawmills, butter and cheese and fish curing and packing.

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Table 10. - Average Weekly Earnings of Male and Female Wage-earners in Each of the Manufacturing Industries of Canada, 1939-45

Group and Industry	Male			Female		
	1939	1944	1945	1939	1944	1945
<u>Vegetable Products -</u>						
Aerated and mineral waters	19.38	27.49	27.74	10.72	16.04	16.91
Biscuits, confectionery, cocoa, etc.	18.93	26.49	26.84	11.34	13.81	14.44
Bread and other bakery products	19.32	27.88	29.65	10.51	13.80	14.11
Breweries	23.55	35.62	34.64	13.44	23.86	22.71
Distilleries	23.77	32.20	33.55	12.16	19.69	20.36
Flour and feed mills	19.33	28.46	28.46	11.55	18.02	15.15
Foods, breakfast	24.94	36.66	37.54	15.59	16.94	19.77
Foods, stock and poultry	19.35	30.18	29.99	11.85	19.59	16.91
Foods, miscellaneous	19.90	27.14	27.34	11.52	12.64	14.13
Fruits and vegetable preparations	15.58	23.06	25.69	9.44	16.05	16.41
Ice cream cones	17.10	26.11	(2)	13.12	16.41	(2)
Macaroni and vermicelli, etc.	19.16	26.71	30.17	13.36	16.72	17.09
Malt and malt products	27.51	33.53	35.08	12.00	14.17	14.80
Rice mills	19.71	33.15	29.18	-	-	-
Rubber goods, including rubber footwear ..	22.39	35.89	36.05	13.84	20.61	19.63
Starch and glucose	19.47	33.41	31.95	10.23	18.19	20.57
Sugar refineries	25.26	34.76	37.51	14.45	21.99	21.99
Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	17.83	30.39	30.71	12.07	18.75	19.00
Tobacco processing and packing	17.76	23.87	24.46	15.26	18.25	18.71
Vegetable oil mills	19.13	27.88	31.28	-	18.00	18.00
Wine	16.29	28.21	33.51	10.24	13.38	22.83
Average for the Group	19.75	29.15	30.49	11.32	16.25	16.59
<u>Animal Products -</u>						
Animal oils and fats	23.83	30.08	28.41	-	-	-
Belting, leather	19.21	26.48	24.84	-	19.49	19.17
Boot and shoe findings, leather	15.88	25.36	29.47	10.05	17.10	17.82
Boots and shoes, leather	17.43	26.17	27.17	11.89	16.79	16.95
Butter and cheese	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Cheese, processed	21.33	27.25	29.08	12.29	15.06	15.46
Condensed milk	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Dairy products, other	19.12	26.09	26.99	10.59	17.04	18.69
Fish curing and packing	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Fur dressing and dyeing	18.50	28.01	29.76	12.98	14.21	16.32
Fur goods	24.48	36.61	36.76	16.34	22.36	23.57
Gloves and mittens, leather	18.57	25.06	26.50	11.96	14.27	15.20
Hair goods, animal and human	18.85	23.42	25.67	16.50	16.44	17.02
Leather tanneries.....	19.19	30.80	31.63	11.88	18.78	19.25
Miscellaneous leather goods	17.54	24.91	27.25	12.45	15.53	16.39
Sausage and sausage casings	17.87	28.24	28.99	12.80	16.95	17.75
Slaughtering and meat packing	23.80	32.98	32.74	14.54	21.23	21.25
Average for the Group	20.18	30.21	30.73	12.72	17.96	18.34
<u>Textiles and Textile Products -</u>						
Awnings, tents and sails	20.40	28.96	27.33	13.64	16.74	17.87
Bags, cotton and jute	20.66	27.25	27.72	13.03	16.02	15.76
Batting and wadding	25.60	30.81	28.62	17.35	23.38	25.05
Carpets, mats and rugs	20.82	29.97	28.57	15.47	18.54	19.60
Clothing, men's factory	22.09	33.76	35.12	12.79	17.81	18.13
Clothing, women's factory	23.17	36.51	38.15	13.76	19.48	19.91
Clothing contractors, men's	21.43	31.33	32.04	13.77	19.57	20.55
Clothing contractors, women's	21.43	38.03	37.65	13.77	20.38	20.05
Cordage, rope and twine	21.73	30.36	28.42	14.30	22.25	19.99

(1) Information not collected.

(2) Included with the Biscuit and Confectionery Industry.

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Table 10. - Average Weekly Earnings of Male and Female Wage-earners in Each of the Manufacturing Industries of Canada, 1939-45 - (Continued)

Group and Industry	Male			Female		
	1939	1944	1945	1939	1944	1945
Textiles and Textile Products - (concluded)	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Corsets	20.87	28.39	29.44	11.04	14.75	16.00
Cotton and wool waste	14.65	26.94	27.07	11.65	17.02	15.89
Cotton textiles, miscellaneous	16.37	24.35	27.89	13.58	16.21	18.17
Cotton thread	22.59	28.93	28.46	13.21	15.55	16.89
Cotton yarn and cloth	17.58	26.83	27.11	13.35	18.08	18.27
Dyeing and finishing of textiles	17.36	27.69	29.20	12.64	17.10	15.01
Flax, dressed	10.24	19.89	23.53	-	17.16	18.08
Gloves and mittens, fabric	11.97	23.86	20.80	9.91	15.84	16.14
Hats and caps	20.74	30.29	33.44	14.49	18.02	20.18
Hosiery and knitted goods	20.77	28.54	28.98	13.63	15.95	15.98
Miscellaneous textiles	18.62	35.29	34.21	12.65	23.33	25.19
Narrow fabrics, laces, etc.	(1)	27.74	25.40	(1)	16.93	16.51
Oiled and waterproofed clothing	19.40	29.34	28.68	13.57	19.35	19.44
Silk and artificial silk	20.47	28.08	29.11	13.24	17.08	18.42
Woollen cloth	18.90	27.57	28.06	13.31	17.44	18.08
Woollen goods, miscellaneous	18.55	28.38	29.80	10.95	17.85	18.02
Woollen yarn	20.85	25.75	26.65	12.87	15.87	16.85
All other industries	16.93	19.93	21.22	13.36	13.96	18.49
Average for the Group	19.96	29.49	30.25	13.37	17.82	18.32
Wood and Paper Products -						
Beekeepers' and poultrymen's supplies	13.70	18.44	18.93	-	12.00	15.02
Blueprinting	13.78	26.73	21.92	20.40	14.68	15.26
Boatbuilding	19.68	32.07	31.02	12.50	19.82	21.98
Boxes and bags, paper	22.66	27.17	29.15	12.67	14.92	16.20
Boxes, wooden	17.56	24.04	27.43	10.95	16.93	17.15
Carriages, wagons and sleighs	17.10	25.99	25.38	-	-	-
Coffins and caskets	17.48	23.37	25.19	11.09	14.11	16.39
Cooperage	17.38	25.73	27.14	15.33	17.38	21.47
Engraving, stereotyping and electrotyping..	35.13	43.58	45.08	14.47	19.86	22.01
Excelsior	17.06	20.60	21.84	6.82	12.39	14.55
Flooring, hardwood	16.49	23.94	26.07	18.00	17.45	16.43
Furniture	18.41	27.38	28.08	13.71	17.45	18.42
Lasts, trees and shoe findings	14.54	25.08	25.17	8.51	15.16	16.47
Lithographing and engraving	28.39	36.11	37.09	12.83	15.98	16.79
Miscellaneous paper products	23.41	31.38	30.32	13.15	15.97	16.67
Miscellaneous wooden products	16.35	26.04	25.26	11.75	15.12	15.91
Planing mills, sash and door factories ..	17.77	25.53	26.05	13.17	17.31	16.92
Printing and bookbinding	23.02	32.76	33.52	12.80	14.76	15.54
Printing and publishing	27.55	35.84	37.31	11.70	14.73	15.84
Pulp and paper	26.93	36.44	37.05	13.55	22.31	22.16
Refrigerators, other than electric	19.13	26.69	29.88	-	18.14	-
Roofing paper, wall board, etc.	21.62	30.37	32.17	16.00	19.55	21.31
Sawmills	16.01	26.31	(2)	10.30	21.11	(2)
Trade composition	24.48	35.80	36.02	15.00	23.00	26.20
Woodenware	12.54	20.71	20.26	8.00	14.42	15.10
Wood turning	12.41	22.02	23.32	8.34	14.45	15.08
All other industries	22.23	26.77	32.00	11.82	17.10	17.22
Average for the Group	20.59	29.48	32.34	12.52	16.50	17.03

(1) Included with "clothing, Women's Factory".

(2) Not collected.

WEEKLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES, 1945

Table 10. - Average Weekly Earnings of Male and Female Wage-earners in Each of the Manufacturing Industries of Canada, 1939-45 - (Continued)

Group and Industry	Male			Female		
	1939	1944	1945	1939	1944	1945
<u>Iron and its Products -</u>						
Agricultural implements	26.61	39.00	37.49	20.66	27.08	27.28
Aircraft	26.13	42.78	44.13	18.43	40.08	36.02
Automobiles	28.99	53.99	48.53	23.05	29.46	23.38
Automobile supplies	25.58	40.14	39.14	14.92	28.38	25.30
Bicycles	21.48	40.00	34.37	14.28	23.47	22.48
Boilers, tanks and engines	22.78	39.99	38.48	12.00	22.46	27.74
Bridge and structural steel work	27.60	40.73	41.23	-	28.75	28.84
Castings, iron	22.65	36.65	36.31	14.90	23.89	23.54
Hardware and tools	21.64	37.04	36.00	13.26	20.47	20.00
Heating and cooking apparatus	21.55	34.03	32.97	12.82	24.24	26.66
Iron and steel products, miscellaneous	24.21	42.11	39.20	12.17	32.14	28.76
Machinery	28.59	37.31	36.09	13.48	22.17	22.38
Machine shops	(1)	38.42	37.88	(1)	22.50	21.58
Primary iron and steel	27.75	39.45	39.50	13.02	27.07	26.45
Railway rolling-stock	27.20	39.57	39.51	16.72	24.61	26.03
Sheet metal products	21.47	33.35	33.65	16.80	20.24	21.35
Shipbuilding and repairs	26.30	40.34	39.54	12.00	32.33	28.58
Wire and wire goods	26.64	34.40	35.00	14.20	21.65	21.95
Average for the Group	26.11	40.53	38.86	15.21	31.30	26.82
<u>Non-ferrous Metal Products -</u>						
Aluminium products	21.50	33.83	36.23	13.48	26.43	24.86
Brass and copper products	24.63	38.55	38.50	14.17	27.36	27.47
Electrical apparatus and supplies	23.54	36.78	35.83	13.33	22.00	24.05
Jewellery and silverware	23.15	32.76	32.87	13.01	17.08	18.14
Miscellaneous non-ferrous metal products ...	23.49	30.46	30.30	18.56	18.46	18.27
Non-ferrous metal smelting and refining ...	27.92	33.78	37.76	-	27.34	28.97
White metal alloys	24.73	29.94	33.75	13.84	15.65	18.87
Average for the Group	25.24	35.65	36.64	13.43	22.56	23.76
<u>Non-metallic Mineral Products -</u>						
Abrasive products	24.77	38.52	38.05	18.50	24.03	25.90
Asbestos products	21.81	29.37	29.54	12.44	20.74	20.53
Cement	26.54	34.31	34.13	-	23.05	24.30
Cement products	17.91	26.56	29.11	13.62	17.05	20.19
Clay products, from domestic clay	19.21	30.91	29.93	-	14.20	15.60
Clay products, from imported clay	18.74	30.70	30.38	15.19	14.88	17.78
Coke and gas products	29.67	35.48	34.99	15.00	28.80	27.78
Glass products	22.10	31.86	31.31	12.49	21.54	21.18
Gypsum products	20.33	31.70	29.80	-	26.10	24.60
Lime	19.40	33.63	31.61	-	-	-
Miscellaneous non-metallic mineral products.	22.35	35.27	34.74	12.15	20.46	21.98
Petroleum products	28.95	36.86	36.95	14.69	26.49	26.05
Salt	22.27	37.32	33.22	14.31	24.52	24.78
Sand-Lime brick	20.17	33.56	32.00	-	-	-
Stone, monumental and ornamental	22.89	31.94	31.62	-	24.07	19.93
Average for the Group	23.89	34.18	33.46	13.32	21.06	21.10

(1) Included with manufactures for the first time in 1941.

Figures for previous years are not available.

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Table 10. - Average Weekly Earnings of Male and Female Wage-earners in Each of the Manufacturing Industries of Canada, 1939-45 - (Concluded)

Group and Industry	Male			Female		
	1939	1944	1945	1939	1944	1945
<u>Chemicals and Allied Products -</u>						
Acids, alkalies and salts	25.29	38.33	37.16	17.45	30.91	30.28
Adhesives	20.17	30.71	31.59	12.06	13.95	15.17
Coal tar distillation	21.12	36.08	34.58	-	29.80	28.75
Fertilizers	22.49	32.24	32.28	25.00	30.20	34.16
Gases, compressed	25.03	35.18	37.18	-	19.88	17.23
Inks, printing and writing	22.14	32.33	29.39	13.18	16.41	15.63
Medicinal and pharmaceutical preparations	21.41	32.41	27.98	13.30	16.41	16.24
Miscellaneous chemical products	21.55	34.70	34.23	10.74	23.94	22.98
Paints, pigments and varnishes	20.67	30.90	29.73	12.20	18.85	17.98
Polishes and dressings	20.54	25.33	29.57	12.10	16.75	15.65
Soaps and washing compounds	21.55	31.27	35.93	14.75	19.80	19.97
Toilet preparations	20.37	25.99	24.92	12.10	15.25	14.71
Wood distillation	17.34	28.11	29.80	-	-	-
Average for the Group	22.25	34.40	33.83	12.51	22.57	21.45
<u>Miscellaneous Industries -</u>						
Artificial flowers and feathers	12.47	19.07	21.65	9.74	12.22	13.29
Automobile accessories, fabric	22.89	38.88	31.79	17.29	22.15	23.50
Brooms, brushes and mops	16.24	23.63	24.87	12.00	14.96	15.37
Buttons	15.82	28.22	27.84	10.65	16.86	17.39
Candles	14.76	25.50	26.85	9.60	12.97	14.76
Fountain pens and pencils	19.33	28.20	29.44	13.45	16.18	18.95
Ice, artificial	21.17	29.15	31.01	11.39	17.38	17.15
Jewel cases and silverware cabinets	15.32	24.78	25.68	11.73	17.73	17.71
Lamps, electric, and lamp shades	16.70	25.02	27.18	14.20	15.17	16.55
Mattresses and springs	20.11	28.79	30.38	13.77	18.23	18.61
Miscellaneous, including carpet sweepers	17.10	19.33	-	12.00	13.54	-
Motion pictures	28.27	36.66	36.17	17.07	24.33	24.49
Musical instruments	17.40	24.21	28.27	11.08	15.60	15.36
Pipes, tobacco	11.07	21.79	20.38	12.00	11.57	13.57
Regalia and society emblems	18.93	22.62	-	12.20	13.47	-
Scientific and professional equipment ...	26.15	38.09	41.95	18.05	31.29	26.37
Signs, electric, neon and other	22.75	34.41	34.82	13.00	23.89	22.08
Sporting goods	19.38	24.64	29.84	11.17	18.55	18.68
Stamps and stencils, rubber and metal ...	21.21	27.86	28.61	14.57	16.08	19.90
Statuary, art goods and novelties	18.07	22.06	26.41	12.45	13.91	14.91
Store display accessories	17.03	27.02	-	10.00	15.59	-
Toys and toy equipment	13.46	20.30	25.29	11.30	14.40	15.64
Typewriter supplies	21.08	32.45	32.83	12.86	15.25	14.77
Umbrellas	21.92	24.44	26.31	12.82	14.35	14.63
Average for the Group	19.44	30.81	32.70	12.88	20.52	19.36
Average, All Industries	22.23	34.95	35.04	12.78	20.89	19.84

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Table 11. - Average Weekly Earnings of Male and Female Wage-earners in Each of the Forty Leading Industries of Canada, 1939-45

(Industries ranked according to the gross value of production in 1945)

Industry	Male			Female		
	1939	1944	1945	1939	1944	1945
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
CANADA						
1. Slaughtering and meat packing	23.80	32.98	32.74	14.54	21.23	21.25
2. Pulp and paper	26.93	36.44	37.05	13.55	22.31	22.16
3. Non-ferrous metal smelting and refining.	27.92	33.78	37.76	-	27.34	28.97
4. Aircraft	26.13	42.78	38.71	18.43	40.08	31.59
5. Sawmills	16.01	26.31	(1)	10.30	21.11	(1)
6. Electrical apparatus and supplies	23.54	36.78	35.83	13.33	22.00	24.05
7. Automobiles	28.99	53.99	48.53	23.05	29.46	23.38
8. Flour and feed mills	19.33	28.46	28.46	11.55	15.02	15.15
9. Butter and cheese	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
10. Shipbuilding and repairs	26.30	40.34	39.54	12.00	32.33	28.58
11. Petroleum products	28.95	36.86	36.95	14.69	26.49	26.05
12. Primary iron and steel	27.75	39.45	39.50	13.02	27.07	26.45
13. Rubber goods, incl. rubber footwear	22.39	35.89	36.05	13.84	20.61	19.63
14. Railway rolling-stock	27.20	39.57	39.51	16.72	24.61	26.03
15. Miscellaneous chemical products	21.55	34.70	34.23	10.74	23.94	22.98
16. Clothing, women's factory	23.17	36.51	38.15	13.76	19.48	19.91
17. Miscellaneous iron and steel products ..	24.21	42.11	39.20	12.17	32.14	28.76
18. Clothing, men's factory	22.09	33.76	35.12	12.79	17.81	18.13
19. Machinery	28.59	37.31	36.09	13.48	22.17	22.38
20. Bread and other bakery products	19.32	27.88	29.65	10.51	13.80	14.11
21. Automobile supplies	25.58	40.14	39.14	14.92	28.38	25.30
22. Cotton yarn and cloth	17.58	26.83	27.11	13.35	18.08	18.27
23. Miscellaneous foods	19.90	27.14	27.34	11.52	12.64	14.13
24. Sheet metal products	21.47	33.35	33.65	16.80	20.24	21.35
25. Brass and copper products	24.63	38.55	38.50	14.17	27.36	27.47
26. Fruit and vegetable preparations	15.58	23.05	25.69	9.44	16.05	16.41
27. Breweries	23.55	35.62	34.64	13.44	23.86	22.71
28. Fish curing and packing	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
29. Printing and publishing	27.55	35.84	37.31	11.70	14.73	15.84
30. Hosiery and knitted goods	20.77	28.54	28.98	13.63	15.95	15.98
31. Biscuits, confectionery, cocoa, etc.	18.93	26.49	26.84	11.34	13.81	14.44
32. Boots and shoes leather	17.43	26.17	27.17	11.89	16.79	16.95
33. Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	17.83	30.39	30.71	12.07	18.75	19.00
34. Castings, iron	22.65	36.65	36.31	14.90	23.89	23.54
35. Scientific and professional equipment ..	26.15	38.09	41.95	18.05	31.29	26.37
36. Foods, stock and poultry	19.35	30.18	29.99	11.85	19.59	16.91
37. Hardware, tools and cutlery	21.64	37.04	36.00	13.26	20.47	20.00
38. Coke and gas products	29.67	35.48	34.99	15.00	28.80	27.78
39. Acids, alkalies and salts	25.29	38.33	37.16	17.45	30.91	30.28
40. Printing and bookbinding	23.02	32.76	33.52	12.80	14.76	15.54
All Industries (2)	22.23	34.95	35.04	12.78	20.89	19.84

(1) Information not collected.

(2) Exclusive of "sawmills", "butter and cheese" and "fish curing and packing" plants in 1945.
Sawmills are included in the total for 1939 and 1944.

WEEKLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES, 1945.

Table 12. - Average Weekly Earnings of Male and Female Wage-earners in Each of the Leading Industries of the Maritime Provinces, 1939-45 (2)

(Industries ranked according to the gross value of products in 1945)

Province and Industry	Male			Female		
	1939	1944	1945	1939	1944	1945
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
<u>Prince Edward Island</u>						
1. Fish curing and packing	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
2. Butter and cheese	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
3. Fruit and vegetable preparations	10.56	19.83	25.04	-	11.44	16.33
4. Castings, iron	17.37	44.44	40.00	-	-	-
5. Sawmills	6.32	15.78	(1)	-	-	(1)
6. Bread and other bakery products	11.94	16.76	18.37	7.54	11.00	10.62
7. Printing and publishing	16.30	24.63	21.04	10.32	11.69	10.86
8. Aerated waters	11.45	19.88	15.30	10.00	15.71	17.00
All industries (3)	12.88	28.10	30.00	7.50	12.00	15.49
<u>Nova Scotia</u>						
1. Fish curing and packing	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
2. Shipbuilding	28.36	40.65	35.81	-	32.11	23.15
3. Primary iron and steel	25.32	37.72	38.66	10.20	28.53	32.51
4. Sawmills	10.55	22.23	(1)	8.35	14.39	(1)
5. Railway rolling-stock	24.98	34.09	31.89	17.86	22.00	28.59
6. Butter and cheese	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
7. Pulp and paper	24.81	28.41	34.16	-	26.67	28.17
8. Fruit and vegetable preparations	12.21	23.70	25.68	8.82	17.51	16.52
9. Bread and other bakery products	15.57	26.93	27.17	8.02	14.74	13.23
10. Biscuits, confectionery, cocoa, etc. .	17.21	27.95	27.09	9.71	12.71	15.16
11. Planing mills, sash and door factories	15.03	24.39	25.18	11.50	17.17	-
12. Hosiery and knitted goods	18.02	24.39	27.50	12.00	13.96	15.64
13. Printing and publishing	24.28	31.50	31.44	11.94	14.33	16.89
14. Aerated waters	12.98	26.51	24.49	9.50	12.19	13.29
15. Clothing, men's factory	10.62	24.81	23.93	9.24	19.02	13.23
All Industries (3)	19.20	34.01	34.67	11.03	19.63	16.89
<u>New Brunswick</u>						
1. Pulp and paper	23.34	34.41	34.18	13.35	24.34	22.39
2. Sawmills	12.92	23.23	(1)	8.00	16.49	(1)
3. Fish curing and packing	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
4. Miscellaneous foods	19.02	28.33	27.85	10.00	14.17	12.68
5. Shipbuilding	31.10	38.90	45.24	-	-	-
6. Slaughtering and meat packing	20.26	23.77	29.24	-	22.32	15.20
7. Butter and cheese	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
8. Bread and other bakery products	15.72	27.07	28.26	8.36	12.15	12.40
9. Fertilizers	23.66	28.94	31.06	-	16.00	19.50
10. Planing mills, sash and door factories	14.45	22.93	24.33	11.25	22.50	20.00
11. Biscuits, confectionery, cocoa, etc. .	14.92	23.19	23.64	9.21	12.53	13.28
12. Feeds, stock and poultry	23.18	29.41	28.53	-	14.20	13.00
13. Heating and cooking apparatus	21.14	35.47	33.79	10.50	18.65	-
All Industries (3)	18.18	29.19	31.67	10.01	15.16	15.54

(1) Information not collected.

(2) Other leading industries for which figures cannot be given as there are fewer than three establishments in each are: Prince Edward Island - cotton and jute bags, planing mills, slaughtering and meat packing and fertilizers; Nova Scotia - cotton yarn and cloth, wire and wire goods, aircraft, miscellaneous iron and steel products, coke and gas, and petroleum products, New Brunswick - sugar refineries, railway rolling-stock, cotton yarn and cloth, silk, and veneer and plywood.

(3) Exclusive of butter and cheese and fish curing and packing plants in 1939, 1944 and 1945.
Sawmills are also excluded in 1945.

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Table 13. - Average Weekly Earnings of Male and Female Wage-earners in Each of the Forty Leading Industries of the Province of Quebec, 1939-45

(Industries ranked according to the gross value of products in 1945)

Industry	Male			Female		
	1939	1944	1945	1939	1944	1945
<u>Quebec</u>						
1. Pulp and paper.....	25.07	35.89	36.76	10.78	16.68	17.90
2. Non-ferrous metal smelting and refining..	27.33	32.90	38.45	-	22.27	32.48
3. Clothing, women's factory	22.41	35.88	36.11	13.52	19.21	19.55
4. Miscellaneous chemicals	21.68	35.39	34.71	10.56	24.59	22.80
5. Railway rolling-stock	27.20	40.96	42.86	16.36	24.65	32.24
6. Cotton yarn and cloth	16.82	26.56	27.12	13.09	18.51	18.74
7. Clothing, men's factory	21.71	31.90	32.55	12.35	17.33	17.46
8. Aircraft	26.67	44.26	36.57	15.43	42.84	30.08
9. Slaughtering and meat packing	20.42	29.37	31.74	11.50	16.63	17.49
10. Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	17.64	30.75	31.00	11.77	19.23	19.26
11. Electrical apparatus and supplies	22.06	36.50	36.21	13.02	24.31	27.25
12. Shipbuilding	25.59	38.35	43.26	12.00	21.82	24.67
13. Miscellaneous iron and steel products	22.92	44.87	39.14	10.71	29.87	26.49
14. Butter and cheese	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
15. Sawmills	12.37	22.07	(1)	8.61	13.35	(1)
16. Boots and shoes, leather	16.30	25.07	26.31	11.11	16.65	16.36
17. Petroleum products	29.59	39.93	37.79	-	20.63	21.00
18. Machinery	24.37	36.13	35.78	14.33	18.92	18.20
19. Silk and artificial silk	18.49	26.21	26.98	12.10	16.39	17.93
20. Brass and copper products	21.12	36.12	39.41	11.86	25.39	30.33
21. Hosiery and knitted goods	19.72	28.23	28.93	12.67	15.89	14.29
22. Bread and other bakery products	17.57	25.35	27.20	10.05	12.72	13.04
23. Primary iron and steel	26.10	37.45	38.91	14.78	17.80	18.79
24. Breweries	21.76	36.36	35.43	15.12	24.12	23.92
25. Sheet metal products	20.90	33.06	33.69	12.19	18.72	20.33
26. Rubber goods, including rubber footwear ..	17.94	29.31	28.52	12.56	19.76	18.21
27. Medicinal and pharmaceutical preparations	18.47	28.74	27.06	11.95	14.66	14.72
28. Miscellaneous foods	19.13	29.12	28.64	11.88	13.99	15.13
29. Sugar refining	(2)	29.96	32.74	(2)	20.00	19.98
30. Fur goods	23.65	34.86	34.91	16.28	22.91	23.26
31. Flour and feed mills	15.92	27.92	28.40	12.00	(1)	(1)
32. Hardware, tools and cutlery	19.15	38.12	36.21	12.95	21.55	19.19
33. Biscuits confectionery, cocoa, etc.	17.29	23.17	23.98	10.37	13.85	13.98
34. Printing and publishing	25.25	36.03	38.07	9.62	14.16	15.46
35. Foods, stock and poultry	18.13	31.49	30.40	11.63	14.80	17.60
36. Castings, iron	22.58	34.44	34.37	12.02	22.15	23.24
37. Furniture	17.39	26.27	26.31	12.70	17.24	18.03
38. Acids, alkalies and salts	20.77	38.15	32.65	15.60	28.87	23.90
39. Distilleries	18.38	30.51	34.05	9.12	17.64	20.57
40. Planing mills, sash and door factories ..	14.69	23.33	23.66	6.67	10.53	9.33
All Industries (3)	20.03	33.53	34.13	12.14	20.09	18.97

(1) Information not available.

(2) Information cannot be published.

(3) Butter and cheese factories are not included in 1939, 1944 and 1945. Sawmills are also excluded in 1945.

WEEKLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES, 1945

Table 14. - Average Weekly Earnings of Male and Female Wage-earners in Each of the Forty Leading Industries of the Province of Ontario, 1939-45

(Industries ranked according to the gross value of products in 1945)

Industry	Male			Female		
	1939	1944	1945	1939	1944	1945
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
<u>Ontario</u>						
1. Automobiles	29.40	54.06	48.56	23.05	29.46	23.38
2. Aircraft	25.39	41.85	42.74	18.96	40.17	33.30
3. Electrical apparatus and supplies	24.04	37.03	35.78	13.44	20.79	22.89
4. Non-ferrous metal smelting and refining.	29.96	34.16	36.99	-	26.75	28.71
5. Rubber goods, including rubber footwear.	24.18	38.07	38.74	14.65	20.97	20.23
6. Slaughtering and meat packing	24.37	33.92	35.47	15.04	18.88	20.05
7. Primary iron and steel	28.97	41.20	40.31	14.47	27.07	26.01
8. Flour and feed mills	19.68	27.65	27.56	11.96	15.03	15.64
9. Automobile supplies	25.72	40.72	39.87	14.93	28.40	25.33
10. Pulp and paper	30.13	37.00	37.33	17.52	21.50	23.09
11. Butter and cheese	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
12. Machinery	31.15	37.85	35.96	12.93	22.61	23.56
13. Petroleum products	28.97	37.56	37.13	16.80	27.22	26.80
14. Miscellaneous chemical products	26.16	33.48	33.59	11.35	22.42	23.25
15. Scientific and professional equipment ..	26.28	38.08	42.28	18.22	31.73	27.40
16. Miscellaneous iron and steel products ..	24.42	40.96	38.92	12.81	32.34	28.82
17. Brass and copper products	26.94	40.20	38.42	15.34	28.12	27.17
18. Sheet metal products	22.07	33.67	33.41	19.64	21.11	21.44
19. Bread and other bakery products	20.21	28.55	30.41	10.76	13.41	13.47
20. Fruit and vegetable preparations	16.80	22.76	25.11	10.02	16.55	16.77
21. Agricultural implements	27.23	39.60	38.12	20.87	27.09	27.28
22. Hosiery and knitted goods	21.38	29.26	29.13	14.06	16.26	17.08
23. Castings, iron	22.97	37.45	37.52	17.46	26.07	23.41
24. Biscuits, confectionery, cocoa, etc. ...	20.24	27.95	28.20	12.39	13.27	14.28
25. Railway, rolling-stock	25.70	40.11	40.98	-	24.36	24.04
26. Printing and publishing	29.14	37.08	38.61	13.73	16.08	15.51
27. Hardware, tools and cutlery	22.55	36.87	36.18	13.69	19.92	20.55
28. Miscellaneous foods	20.15	26.37	27.42	12.42	10.80	12.95
29. Coke and gas products	32.90	35.33	35.05	-	29.48	28.14
30. Clothing, men's factory	23.75	37.33	39.92	13.61	19.24	19.82
31. Leather tanneries	19.40	31.23	32.15	12.15	18.88	19.06
32. Clothing, women's factory	24.94	39.82	42.42	14.52	20.75	21.49
33. Tobacco processing and packing	18.39	24.66	25.68	15.63	19.04	19.01
34. Acids, alkalies and salts	27.79	38.41	40.24	19.00	30.22	31.06
35. Printing and bookbinding	22.46	32.42	33.07	13.02	13.91	14.97
36. Miscellaneous paper products	26.09	34.13	31.58	14.58	16.43	17.09
37. Boxes and bags paper	24.12	27.77	29.54	13.92	15.74	17.05
38. Medicinal and pharmaceutical preparations	23.74	35.77	28.50	14.01	17.43	17.21
39. Breweries	26.32	36.72	36.38	8.00	26.95	24.35
40. Furniture	18.91	28.43	29.24	14.03	16.39	18.00
All Industries (2)	23.83	36.30	36.02	13.52	21.35	20.61

(1) Information not available.

(2) Butter and cheese factories are not included in 1939, 1944 and 1945. Sawmills are also excluded in 1945.

WEEKLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES, 1945

Table 15. - Average Weekly Earnings of Male and Female Wage-earners in Each of the Leading Industries of the Prairie Provinces, 1939-45 (1)

(Industries ranked according to the gross value of products in 1945)

Province and Industry	Male			Female		
	1939	1944	1945	1939	1944	1945
Manitoba						
1. Slaughtering and meat packing	24.93	34.12	33.54	16.17	23.91	22.52
2. Flour and feed mills	18.50	31.92	31.77	11.26	16.16	14.92
3. Railway rolling-stock	29.27	37.99	35.79	-	-	-
4. Butter and cheese	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)
5. Miscellaneous foods	20.21	26.49	31.37	11.15	13.89	15.33
6. Clothing, men's factory	19.90	28.44	29.48	13.06	16.29	17.43
7. Clothing, women's factory	20.26	26.88	34.62	13.24	18.00	17.75
8. Miscellaneous chemical products	16.83	31.25	31.15	-	23.18	25.50
9. Bags, cotton and jute	25.30	34.77	35.31	15.76	20.58	20.62
10. Breweries	20.19	32.49	31.35	-	21.66	21.07
11. Bread and other bakery products	19.42	28.59	32.46	9.99	13.95	15.64
12. Biscuits, confectionery, cocoa, etc.	21.89	30.23	29.70	10.24	15.03	14.05
13. Printing and publishing	26.42	33.08	32.68	7.04	13.34	17.14
14. Printing and bookbinding	25.71	33.66	34.69	13.13	15.09	14.80
15. Fur goods	19.96	33.87	34.89	14.13	21.95	22.25
All Industries (2)	23.61	32.36	32.88	12.64	18.24	18.03
Saskatchewan						
1. Slaughtering and meat packing	25.23	33.82	31.29	15.76	22.25	23.47
2. Flour and feed mills	21.72	29.93	30.85	9.50	22.13	17.09
3. Butter and cheese	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)
4. Petroleum products	27.73	37.22	35.43	13.00	20.79	21.91
5. Miscellaneous foods	18.40	25.30	19.97	9.17	17.99	15.94
6. Breweries	22.12	33.03	33.21	-	32.18	33.83
7. Bread and other bakery products	18.21	26.84	27.35	9.37	14.53	15.06
8. Sawmills	11.17	23.13	(3)	8.70	18.13	(3)
9. Printing and publishing	26.52	32.21	33.17	11.35	14.80	16.19
10. Feeds, stocks and poultry	(4)	32.28	29.45	(4)	25.60	18.20
11. Planing mills, sash and door factories	17.51	28.62	26.59	-	15.63	18.74
All Industries (2)	20.62	29.99	32.36	11.53	19.86	19.81
Alberta						
1. Slaughtering and meat packing	24.28	33.21	29.05	17.68	23.42	23.04
2. Flour and feed mills	20.65	29.43	29.15	9.75	17.71	18.55
3. Petroleum products	28.46	36.38	37.73	-	22.89	23.73
4. Butter and cheese	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)
5. Breweries	34.64	34.58	33.77	-	24.52	29.19
6. Bread and other bakery products	20.86	31.68	31.98	12.07	16.56	17.78
7. Sawmills	13.87	24.47	(3)	11.18	19.57	(3)
8. Planing mills, sash and door factories	23.20	27.91	29.32	-	19.37	20.61
9. Railway, rolling-stock	27.37	36.18	36.63	-	34.13	25.00
10. Printing and publishing	29.36	36.43	37.52	11.18	14.88	14.51
11. Miscellaneous foods	17.67	24.12	26.79	10.27	13.35	15.79
12. Feeds, stock and poultry	15.35	30.47	27.55	10.00	17.17	7.53
13. Glass products	(4)	(4)	27.09	(4)	(4)	26.95
14. Clothing, men's factory	21.22	29.24	28.95	14.74	18.58	18.55
15. Castings, iron	16.64	33.19	33.48	-	23.88	23.67
All Industries (2)	22.23	31.50	32.54	13.72	20.01	19.55

- (1) Other leading industries for which figures cannot be given as there are fewer than three establishments in each area: Manitoba--bridge and structural steel, pulp and paper, and non-ferrous metal smelting and refining; Saskatchewan--miscellaneous iron and steel products, wood preservation, cotton and jute bags, and non-ferrous metal smelting and refining; Alberta--malt products, sugar refineries, wood preservation, cement, acids, alkalis and salts, miscellaneous iron and steel products, and processed cheese.
- (2) Exclusive of butter and cheese factories in 1939, 1944 and 1945 and also exclusive of sawmills in 1945.
- (3) Information not collected.
- (4) Information cannot be published since there are less than three establishments reporting.

WEEKLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES, 1945

Table 16. - Average Weekly Earnings of Male and Female Wage-earners in Each of the Leading Industries of the Province of British Columbia, 1939-45 (1)

(Industries ranked according to the gross value of products in 1945)

Industry	Male			Female		
	1939	1944	1945	1939	1944	1945
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
<u>British Columbia</u>						
1. Sawmills	22.54	34.97	(3)	15.62	24.34	(3)
2. Shipbuilding and repairs	28.20	42.48	37.66	-	33.98	30.40
3. Fish curing and packing	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)
4. Pulp and paper	30.07	41.11	40.45	13.62	30.58	30.57
5. Slaughtering and meat packing	25.67	35.06	33.55	11.32	21.29	20.85
6. Fruit and vegetable preparations	18.70	28.05	31.07	11.61	17.70	18.39
7. Petroleum products	33.41	37.06	36.46	-	25.43	32.00
8. Fertilizers	29.24	39.39	36.95	25.00	30.37	34.51
9. Butter and cheese	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)
10. Bread and other bakery products	21.92	33.64	34.29	11.67	15.46	16.41
11. Veneer and plywood	(3)	33.87	33.59	(3)	24.53	25.03
12. Machinery	27.57	39.06	39.83	-	27.37	23.84
13. Miscellaneous foods	20.13	27.53	25.45	11.35	16.14	16.08
14. Sheet metal products	22.00	36.35	40.57	17.10	19.15	28.19
15. Breweries	27.57	37.00	34.02	14.50	33.88	22.79
All Industries (2)	23.73	38.08	36.21	12.89	25.57	21.96

(1) Other leading industries for which individual figures cannot be given because there are less than three establishments in each are: sugar refining, distilleries, aircraft, and non-ferrous metal smelting and refining.

(2) Exclusive of "butter and cheese" and "fish curing and packing" plants, in 1939, 1944 and 1945. Sawmills are also excluded in 1945.

(3) Information not available.

WEEKLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES, 1945

Table 17. - Average Weekly Earnings of Male Wage-earners in the Twenty-five Leading Industries of Canada,
by Provinces, 1939-45

(Industries ranked according to the number of male wage-earners in 1945)

Industry and Province	Male		
	1939	1944	1945
1. <u>Shipbuilding and Repairs</u> -	\$	\$	\$
Nova Scotia	28.36	40.65	35.81
Quebec	25.59	38.35	43.26
Ontario	22.46	39.83	37.16
British Columbia	28.20	42.48	37.66
Canada	26.30	40.34	39.54
2. <u>Pulp and Paper</u> -			
Nova Scotia	24.81	28.41	34.16
New Brunswick	23.34	34.41	34.18
Quebec	25.07	35.89	36.76
Ontario	30.13	37.00	37.33
British Columbia	30.07	41.11	40.45
Canada	26.93	36.44	37.05
3. <u>Railway Rolling-Stock</u> -			
Nova Scotia	24.98	34.09	31.89
Quebec	27.20	40.96	42.86
Ontario	25.70	40.11	40.98
Manitoba	29.27	37.99	35.79
Alberta	27.37	36.18	36.63
Canada	27.20	39.57	39.51
4. <u>Primary Iron and Steel</u> -			
Nova Scotia	25.32	37.72	38.66
Quebec	26.10	37.45	38.91
Ontario	28.97	41.20	40.31
Manitoba	24.80	35.51	35.34
British Columbia	29.54	38.37	39.01
Canada	27.75	39.45	39.50
5. <u>Aircraft</u> -			
Quebec	26.67	44.26	42.09
Ontario	25.39	41.83	48.26
Manitoba	22.27	33.25	(1)
Canada	26.13	42.78	44.13
6. <u>Electrical Apparatus and Supplies</u> -			
Quebec	22.06	36.50	36.21
Ontario	24.04	37.03	35.78
Manitoba	20.68	26.56	29.46
Alberta	18.05	25.33	24.03
British Columbia	22.46	36.04	35.21
Canada	23.54	36.78	35.83
7. <u>Machinery</u> -			
Quebec	24.37	36.13	35.78
Ontario	31.15	37.85	35.96
Manitoba	18.43	27.65	30.88
British Columbia	27.57	39.06	39.83
Canada	28.59	37.31	36.09

(1) Information cannot be published.

WEEKLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES, 1945.

Table 17. - Average Weekly Earnings of Male Wage-earners in the Twenty-five Leading Industries of Canada,
by Provinces, 1939-45. (Continued)

(Industries ranked according to the number of male wage-earners in 1945)

Industry and Province	Male		
	1939	1944	1945
8. <u>Bread and Other Bakery Products</u> -			
Prince Edward Island	11.94	16.76	18.37
Nova Scotia	15.57	26.93	27.17
New Brunswick	15.72	27.07	28.26
Quebec	17.57	25.35	27.20
Ontario	20.21	28.55	30.41
Manitoba	19.42	28.59	32.46
Saskatchewan	18.21	26.84	27.35
Alberta	20.86	31.68	31.98
British Columbia	21.92	33.64	34.29
Canada	19.32	27.88	29.65
9. <u>Miscellaneous Chemical Products</u> -			
Quebec	21.68	35.39	34.71
Ontario	21.16	33.48	33.59
Manitoba	16.83	31.25	31.15
Saskatchewan	18.12	28.92	24.93
Alberta	9.89	15.65	26.75
British Columbia	23.26	34.11	33.04
Canada	21.55	34.70	34.23
10. <u>Slaughtering and Meat Packing</u> -			
New Brunswick	20.26	23.77	29.24
Quebec	20.42	29.37	31.74
Ontario	24.37	33.92	35.47
Manitoba	24.93	34.12	33.54
Saskatchewan	25.23	33.82	31.29
Alberta	24.28	33.21	29.05
British Columbia	25.67	35.06	33.55
Canada	23.80	32.98	32.74
11. <u>Automobiles</u> -			
Ontario	29.40	54.06	48.56
Canada	28.99	53.99	48.53
12. <u>Rubber Goods, Including Rubber Footwear</u> -			
Quebec	17.94	29.31	28.52
Ontario	24.18	38.07	38.74
Canada	22.39	35.89	36.05
13. <u>Miscellaneous Iron and Steel Products</u> -			
Quebec	22.92	44.87	39.14
Ontario	24.42	40.96	38.92
Manitoba	25.55	35.77	32.46
British Columbia	23.31	38.08	34.83
Canada	24.21	42.11	39.20

WEEKLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES, 1945

Table 17. - Average Weekly Earnings of Male Wage-earners in the Twenty-five Leading Industries of Canada, by Provinces, 1939-45. (Continued)

(Industries ranked according to the number of male wage-earners in 1945)

Industry and Province	Male		
	1939	1944	1945
	\$	\$	\$
14. Castings, Iron -			
Prince Edward Island	17.37	44.44	40.00
Nova Scotia	21.41	32.33	32.72
New Brunswick	20.40	33.15	33.92
Quebec	22.58	34.44	34.37
Ontario	22.97	37.45	37.52
Manitoba	23.86	35.31	36.72
Saskatchewan	22.21	29.00	29.21
Alberta	16.64	33.19	33.48
British Columbia	22.38	43.25	35.66
Canada	22.65	36.65	36.31
15. Non-Ferrous Metal Smelting and Refining -			
Quebec	27.33	32.90	38.45
Ontario	29.96	34.16	36.99
Canada	27.92	33.78	37.76
16. Automobile Supplies -			
Quebec	19.02	31.92	30.01
Ontario	25.72	40.72	39.87
Manitoba	19.78	28.52	30.61
Alberta	23.26	27.09	24.07
British Columbia	26.14	35.35	35.86
Canada	25.58	40.14	39.14
17. Furniture -			
Nova Scotia	-	18.87	16.46
New Brunswick	13.67	18.71	20.72
Quebec	17.39	26.27	26.31
Ontario	18.91	28.43	29.24
Manitoba	17.78	21.15	28.46
Saskatchewan	15.00	20.03	21.40
Alberta	16.74	28.67	30.21
British Columbia	19.11	27.66	29.10
Canada	18.41	27.38	28.08
18. Cotton Yarn and Cloth -			
Quebec	16.82	26.56	27.12
Ontario	19.41	27.92	27.27
Canada	17.58	26.83	27.11
19. Sheet Metal Products -			
New Brunswick	14.62	19.10	22.33
Quebec	20.90	33.06	33.69
Ontario	22.07	33.67	33.41
Manitoba	18.77	29.43	29.97
Saskatchewan	19.65	34.85	29.62
Alberta	16.86	31.54	29.90
British Columbia	22.00	36.35	40.57
Canada	21.47	33.35	33.65

WEEKLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES, 1945

Table 17. - Average Weekly Earnings of Male Wage-earners in the Twenty-five Leading Industries of Canada,
by Provinces, 1939-45. (Concluded)

(Industries ranked according to the number of male wage-earners in 1945)

Industry and Province	Male		
	1939	1944	1945
20. <u>Agricultural Implements</u> -	\$	\$	\$
Quebec	10.29	23.17	23.53
Ontario	27.23	39.60	38.12
Manitoba	24.75	24.23	25.25
Canada	26.61	39.00	37.49
21. <u>Hardware, Tools and Cutlery</u> -			
Nova Scotia	12.25	24.67	25.75
Quebec	19.15	38.12	36.21
Ontario	22.55	36.87	36.18
Manitoba	11.33	20.51	21.47
British Columbia	18.17	30.24	33.59
Canada	21.64	37.04	36.00
22. <u>Boots and Shoes Leather</u> -			
New Brunswick	16.51	24.67	23.57
Quebec	16.30	25.07	26.31
Ontario	19.67	29.04	29.79
Manitoba	14.54	24.03	24.26
British Columbia	18.78	32.53	29.38
Canada	17.43	26.17	27.17
23. <u>Planing Mills, Sash and Door Factories</u> -			
Prince Edward Island	13.86	(1)	(1)
Nova Scotia	15.03	24.39	25.18
New Brunswick	14.45	22.93	24.33
Quebec	14.69	23.33	23.66
Ontario	18.58	26.62	26.24
Manitoba	18.03	27.71	28.63
Saskatchewan	17.51	28.62	26.59
Alberta	23.20	27.91	29.32
British Columbia	21.97	28.57	31.14
Canada	17.77	25.53	26.05
24. <u>Brass and Copper Products</u> -			
Quebec	21.12	36.12	39.41
Ontario	26.94	40.20	38.42
Manitoba	20.23	30.69	30.82
British Columbia	26.10	37.49	37.07
Canada	24.63	38.55	38.50
25. <u>Printing and Publishing</u> -			
Prince Edward Island	16.30	24.63	21.04
Nova Scotia	24.28	31.50	31.44
New Brunswick	23.60	30.57	32.21
Quebec	25.25	36.03	38.07
Ontario	29.14	37.08	38.61
Manitoba	26.42	33.08	32.68
Saskatchewan	26.52	32.21	33.17
Alberta	29.36	36.43	37.52
British Columbia	30.20	35.93	38.19
Canada	27.55	35.84	37.31

(1) Less than three establishments reporting.

WEEKLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES, 1945

Table 18. - Average Weekly Earnings of Female Wage-earners in the Twenty-five Leading Industries of Canada,
by Provinces, 1939-45.

(Industries ranked according to the number of Female Wage-earners in 1945)

Industry and Province	Female		
	1939	1944	1945
	\$	\$	\$
1. <u>Clothing, Women's Factory</u> -			
New Brunswick	10.48	13.71	13.24
Quebec	13.52	19.21	19.55
Ontario	14.52	20.75	21.49
Manitoba	13.24	18.00	17.75
Alberta	12.55	17.97	15.86
British Columbia	14.63	17.96	19.93
Canada	13.76	19.48	19.91
2. <u>Clothing, Men's Factory</u> -			
Nova Scotia	9.24	19.02	13.23
Quebec	12.35	17.33	17.46
Ontario	13.61	19.24	19.82
Manitoba	13.06	16.29	17.43
Alberta	14.74	18.58	18.55
British Columbia	15.32	14.88	20.81
Canada	12.79	17.81	18.13
3. <u>Hosiery and Knitted Goods</u> -			
Nova Scotia	12.00	13.96	15.64
Quebec	12.67	15.89	14.29
Ontario	14.06	16.26	17.08
Manitoba	14.13	14.85	16.68
British Columbia	15.52	16.60	19.22
Canada	13.63	15.95	15.98
4. <u>Electrical Apparatus and Supplies</u> -			
Quebec	13.02	24.31	27.25
Ontario	13.44	20.79	22.89
Manitoba	-	17.82	20.50
Alberta	-	16.67	15.56
British Columbia	-	24.14	21.95
Canada	13.33	22.00	24.05
5. <u>Miscellaneous Chemical Products</u> -			
Nova Scotia	-	15.00	15.00
Quebec	10.56	24.59	22.80
Ontario	11.35	22.42	23.25
Manitoba	-	23.18	25.50
Saskatchewan	9.00	11.69	16.10
British Columbia	15.50	22.88	22.33
Canada	10.74	23.94	22.98
6. <u>Cotton Yarn and Cloth</u> -			
Quebec	13.09	18.51	18.74
Ontario	13.97	17.27	17.32
Canada	13.35	18.08	18.27

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Table 18. - Average Weekly Earnings of Female Wage-earners in the Twenty-five Leading Industries of Canada,
by Provinces, 1939-45. (Continued)

(Industries ranked according to the number of female wage-earners in 1945)

Industry and Province	Female		
	1939	1944	1945
7. <u>Boots and Shoes, Leather -</u>			
New Brunswick	10.47	14.35	14.11
Quebec	11.11	16.65	16.36
Ontario	13.60	17.28	18.09
Manitoba	10.56	16.17	18.93
British Columbia	14.48	14.81	20.07
Canada	11.89	16.79	16.95
8. <u>Bread and Other Bakery Products -</u>			
Prince Edward Island	7.54	11.00	10.62
Nova Scotia	8.02	14.74	13.23
New Brunswick	8.36	12.15	12.40
Quebec	10.05	12.72	13.04
Ontario	10.76	13.41	13.47
Manitoba	9.99	13.95	15.64
Saskatchewan	9.37	14.53	15.06
Alberta	12.07	16.56	17.78
British Columbia	11.67	15.46	16.41
Canada	10.51	13.80	14.11
9. <u>Biscuits, Confectionery, Cocoa, etc. -</u>			
Nova Scotia	9.71	12.71	15.16
New Brunswick	9.21	12.53	13.28
Quebec	10.37	13.85	13.98
Ontario	12.39	13.27	14.28
Manitoba	10.24	15.03	14.05
Alberta	12.42	18.57	16.56
British Columbia	12.94	17.76	18.61
Canada	11.34	13.81	14.44
10. <u>Fruit and Vegetable Preparations -</u>			
Prince Edward Island	-	11.14	16.33
Nova Scotia	8.82	17.51	16.52
New Brunswick	7.83	13.75	13.22
Quebec	6.42	12.81	14.36
Ontario	10.02	16.55	16.77
Manitoba	8.61	8.39	9.38
Alberta	8.92	17.35	14.52
British Columbia	11.61	17.70	18.39
Canada	9.44	16.05	16.41
11. <u>Tobacco, Cigars and Cigarettes -</u>			
Quebec	11.77	19.23	19.26
Ontario	13.86	15.71	17.26
Canada	12.07	18.75	19.00
12. <u>Aircraft -</u>			
Quebec	15.43	42.84	34.51
Ontario	18.96	40.17	37.73
Manitoba	13.67	24.16	(1)
Canada	18.43	40.08	36.02

(1) Less than three establishments reporting.

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Table 18. - Average Weekly Earnings of Female Wage-earners in the Twenty-five Leading Industries of Canada, by Provinces, 1939-45. (Continued)

(Industries ranked according to the number of female wage-earners in 1945)

Industry and Province	Female		
	1939	1944	1945
	\$	\$	\$
13. Rubber Goods, Including Rubber Footwear -			
Quebec	12.56	19.76	18.21
Ontario	14.65	20.97	20.23
Canada	13.84	20.61	19.63
14. Boxes and Bags, Paper -			
New Brunswick	8.83	11.80	13.67
Quebec	10.96	13.18	14.12
Ontario	13.92	15.74	17.05
Manitoba	13.19	15.45	20.62
British Columbia	13.28	17.51	19.55
Canada	12.67	14.92	16.20
15. Printing and Bookbinding -			
Prince Edward Island	6.73	6.60	7.83
Nova Scotia	10.35	13.83	13.12
New Brunswick	14.07	13.29	16.34
Quebec	12.17	16.29	16.83
Ontario	13.02	13.91	14.97
Manitoba	13.13	15.09	14.80
Saskatchewan	13.00	14.45	14.11
Alberta	14.27	17.77	16.68
British Columbia	14.19	18.00	20.32
Canada	12.80	14.76	15.54
16. Silk and Artificial Silk -			
Quebec	12.10	16.39	17.93
Ontario	14.46	18.38	19.17
Canada	13.24	17.08	18.42
17. Slaughtering and Meat Packing -			
Nova Scotia	9.00	14.86	15.20
New Brunswick	-	22.32	15.20
Quebec	11.50	16.63	17.49
Ontario	15.04	18.88	20.05
Manitoba	16.17	23.91	22.52
Saskatchewan	15.76	22.25	23.47
Alberta	17.68	23.42	23.04
British Columbia	11.32	21.29	20.85
Canada	14.54	21.23	21.25
18. Woollen Cloth -			
Nova Scotia	(1)	16.56	17.36
Quebec	11.01	17.07	17.48
Ontario	14.09	17.94	18.53
British Columbia	12.13	17.32	19.78
Canada	13.31	17.44	18.08

(1) Less than three establishments reporting.

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Table 18. - Average Weekly Earnings of Female Wage-earners in the Twenty-five Leading Industries of Canada,
by Provinces, 1939-45. (Concluded).

(Industries ranked according to the number of female wage-earners in 1945)

Industry and Province	Female		
	1939	1944	1945
19. Sheet Metal Products -			
New Brunswick	7.50	14.29	16.29
Quebec	12.19	18.72	20.33
Ontario	19.64	21.11	21.44
Manitoba	-	19.45	20.62
British Columbia	17.10	19.15	28.19
Canada	16.80	20.24	21.35
20. Miscellaneous Iron and Steel Products -			
Quebec	10.71	29.87	26.49
Ontario	12.81	32.34	28.82
Manitoba	-	17.15	16.08
British Columbia	12.00	30.09	27.54
Canada	12.17	32.14	28.76
21. Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Preparations -			
Quebec	11.95	14.66	14.72
Ontario	14.01	17.43	17.21
Manitoba	15.02	16.88	14.57
Alberta	-	13.50	13.50
Canada	13.30	16.41	16.24
22. Miscellaneous Foods -			
Nova Scotia	(1)	13.38	13.27
New Brunswick	10.00	14.17	12.68
Quebec	11.88	13.99	15.13
Ontario	12.42	10.80	12.95
Manitoba	11.15	13.89	15.33
Saskatchewan	9.17	17.99	15.94
Alberta	10.27	13.35	15.79
British Columbia	11.35	16.14	16.08
Canada	11.52	12.64	14.13
23. Miscellaneous Paper Products -			
Quebec	11.00	14.27	15.91
Ontario	14.58	16.43	17.09
Manitoba	12.38	15.56	13.72
British Columbia	13.85	19.43	17.32
Canada	13.15	15.97	16.67
24. Hardware, Tools and Cutlery -			
Nova Scotia	12.00	16.00	14.00
Quebec	12.95	21.55	19.19
Ontario	13.69	19.92	20.55
Manitoba	-	16.30	17.94
British Columbia	13.33	20.63	19.15
Canada	13.26	20.47	20.00
25. Automobile Supplies -			
Ontario	14.93	28.40	25.33
Alberta	-	22.25	19.71
Canada	14.92	28.38	25.30

(1) Less than three establishments reporting.

WEEKLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES, 1945.

Table 19. - Wage-earners in the Manufacturing Industries of Canada Working Specified Numbers of Hours per Week in the Month of Highest Employment, 1932-37.

(Note - These are regular hours per week and do not include overtime)

Hours Worked per Week	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
40 hours or less	78,223	82,896	70,736	72,528	75,224	79,178
41 - 43 hours	9,593	9,571	9,814	11,448	11,820	11,273
44 hours	65,063	65,598	69,217	78,564	80,202	97,209
45 - 47 hours	31,193	33,033	38,805	44,672	51,259	61,099
48 hours	81,894	75,558	95,669	130,830	138,500	148,399
49 - 50 hours	67,823	66,310	71,997	62,328	67,740	76,526
51 - 53 hours	14,438	15,764	16,562	19,100	18,287	21,815
54 hours	30,098	28,770	24,520	25,935	29,712	33,361
55 hours	39,817	44,465	46,437	42,261	43,377	49,470
56 - 59 hours	18,151	14,150	21,938	21,068	23,369	24,926
60 hours or over	62,296	59,158	64,659	59,712	64,222	68,288
Total Wage-earners	498,569	493,273	530,354	568,446	605,712	671,544
Average Hours Worked per Week .	48.9	48.7	49.2	48.7	48.7	48.8

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Table 20. - Wage-earners in the Manufacturing Industries of Canada Working Specified Numbers of Hours per Week during a Month of Highest Employment, by Sex, 1938-45.

Hours Worked per Week	1938 (1)	1939 (1)	1942 (2)	1944 (2)	1945 (2)
<u>ALL WAGE-EARNERS</u>					
30 hours or less	24,073	19,849	48,714	87,817	79,398
31 - 43 hours	99,125	85,597	98,200	151,280	174,378
44 hours	83,763	81,128	88,049	112,840	130,536
45 - 47 hours	66,268	64,031	80,613	108,585	116,431
48 hours	121,625	130,506	244,899	245,024	230,175
49 - 50 hours	62,294	65,822	105,434	116,473	105,331
51 - 54 hours	39,596	46,165	147,229	128,580	90,411
55 hours	20,575	24,316	63,702	51,965	34,748
56 - 64 hours	60,755	61,067	193,297	140,295	81,517
65 hours or over	8,755	8,478	73,590	46,046	33,571
Total Wage-earners	586,829	586,959	1,143,727	1,188,905	1,076,496
Average Hours Worked per Week.	46.7	47.2	50.2	47.5	46.2
<u>MALE WAGE-EARNERS</u>					
30 hours or less	15,439	12,868	30,166	45,414	41,111
31 - 43 hours	75,842	64,780	59,146	83,293	100,446
44 hours	59,983	57,667	58,342	76,141	89,623
45 - 47 hours	47,877	45,703	47,403	67,306	75,391
48 hours	97,287	103,636	182,783	182,798	175,116
49 - 50 hours	45,981	48,378	70,870	80,878	77,019
51 - 54 hours	33,744	37,439	106,657	100,621	72,781
55 hours	16,493	19,766	48,996	42,214	28,910
56 - 64 hours	56,171	56,837	171,775	128,751	74,043
65 hours or over	8,224	8,036	67,776	42,618	31,311
Total Wage-earners	457,041	455,110	843,914	850,034	765,751
Average hours Worked per Week.	47.3	48.1	51.3	49.1	47.6
<u>FEMALE WAGE-EARNERS</u>					
30 hours or less	8,634	6,981	18,548	42,403	38,287
31 - 43 hours	23,283	20,817	39,054	67,987	73,932
44 hours	23,780	23,461	29,707	36,699	40,913
45 - 47 hours	18,391	18,328	33,210	41,279	41,040
48 hours	24,338	26,870	62,116	62,226	55,059
49 - 50 hours	16,313	17,444	34,564	35,595	28,312
51 - 54 hours	5,852	8,726	40,572	27,959	17,630
55 hours	4,082	4,550	14,706	9,751	5,838
56 - 64 hours	4,584	4,230	21,522	11,544	7,474
65 hours or over	531	442	5,814	3,428	2,260
Total Wage-earners	129,788	131,849	299,813	338,871	310,745
Average Hours Worked per Week.	44.6	45.2	46.9	43.6	42.7

(1) Hours worked per week do not include overtime.

(2) Hours worked per week include overtime.

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Table 21. - Wage-earners Working Specified Numbers of Hours During One Week of the Month of Highest Employment,
Classified by Sex and Province, 1945.

(Includes Overtime)

Hours Worked per Week	CANADA	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskat- chewan	Alberta	British Columbia	Yukon and Northwest Territories
M A L E											
30 hours or less	41,111	24	1,773	669	10,782	22,070	1,336	562	863	3,032	-
31 - 43 hours	100,446	33	4,064	1,606	28,969	46,205	3,193	833	2,086	13,456	1
44 hours	89,623	26	3,656	1,936	18,482	34,225	6,908	846	2,496	21,048	-
45 - 47 hours	75,391	18	956	631	21,909	42,964	2,870	812	1,659	3,570	2
48 hours	175,116	297	6,316	1,688	49,206	96,725	5,249	1,427	3,684	10,489	35
49 - 50 hours	77,019	81	925	1,497	29,406	40,102	2,128	774	1,109	996	1
51 - 54 hours	72,781	107	1,700	1,699	33,908	29,878	2,227	743	1,197	1,318	4
55 hours	28,910	14	316	243	17,874	9,360	500	207	155	241	-
56 - 64 hours	74,043	92	4,332	2,098	36,848	25,555	1,773	639	850	1,850	66
65 hours or over	31,311	54	1,275	1,602	16,739	9,945	461	164	376	695	-
Total Wage-earners (1)	765,751	746	25,313	13,669	264,123	357,029	26,645	7,007	14,475	56,695	49
Average Hours Worked per Week	47.6	50.6	47.6	50.2	49.7	46.7	46.1	46.6	46.0	43.4	49.6
F E M A L E											
30 hours or less	38,287	17	456	419	9,035	24,729	861	202	454	2,112	2
31 - 43 hours	73,932	23	689	789	25,520	37,992	2,538	268	851	5,260	2
44 hours	40,913	10	602	245	12,767	19,202	3,066	300	1,161	3,560	-
45 - 47 hours	41,040	24	491	386	15,229	21,186	1,150	311	513	1,750	-
48 hours	55,059	87	590	862	22,371	26,527	1,492	527	906	1,695	2
49 - 50 hours	28,312	40	838	649	12,875	12,853	565	100	137	255	-
51 - 54 hours	17,630	28	446	197	9,977	5,904	577	58	68	375	-
55 hours	5,838	9	107	38	3,909	1,549	85	10	11	120	-
56 - 64 hours	7,474	115	490	174	2,837	3,231	115	34	79	399	-
65 hours or over	2,260	-	71	42	482	1,309	13	3	41	299	-
Total Wage-earners (1)	310,745	353	4,780	3,801	115,002	154,482	10,462	1,813	4,221	15,825	6
Average Hours Worked per Week	42.7	50.5	45.9	44.1	44.2	41.6	42.6	43.4	42.5	41.1	36.7

(1) Exclusive of dairy factories, fish curing and packing plants, and sawmill operations.

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Table 22. - Wage-earners Working Specified Numbers of Hours During One Week of the Month of Highest Employment,
Classified by Sex and Industrial Group, 1945
(Includes overtime)

Hours Worked Per Week	All Groups	Vegetable Products	Animal Products	Textiles	Wood and Paper	Iron and its Products	Non-ferrous Metals	Non-Metallic Minerals	Chemicals	Miscellaneous Industries
M A L E										
30 hours or less.....	41,111	8,079	2,833	2,445	7,101	13,646	2,264	1,340	2,510	893
31 - 43 hours	100,446	8,457	7,166	7,888	14,580	45,184	6,694	3,338	5,364	1,775
44 hours	89,623	4,759	2,957	6,443	13,371	44,700	6,814	4,660	3,616	2,303
45 - 47 hours	75,391	6,244	6,750	4,341	11,831	32,209	6,347	1,745	3,271	2,553
48 hours	175,116	16,904	6,232	10,899	22,068	70,057	24,156	7,959	14,175	2,566
49 - 50 hours	77,019	7,631	5,712	12,599	9,411	32,727	4,262	1,455	2,071	1,151
51 - 54 hours	72,781	11,652	5,127	4,501	10,435	24,220	4,772	2,372	8,303	1,399
55 hours	28,910	3,953	2,086	3,684	6,692	9,787	933	713	649	413
56 - 64 hours	74,043	12,937	2,535	4,312	13,941	28,990	4,452	2,809	3,401	666
65 hours or over	31,311	6,984	546	1,482	5,397	13,364	1,042	1,028	1,172	296
Total Wage-earners (1)	765,751	87,600	41,944	58,594	114,827	314,884	61,736	27,419	44,532	14,215
Average Hours Worked per Week .	47.6	49.0	46.1	47.5	47.9	47.4	47.1	47.4	47.4	45.9
F E M A L E										
30 hours or less	38,287	12,043	2,557	9,743	4,285	3,414	2,413	300	2,284	1,248
31 - 43 hours	73,932	11,444	6,004	24,937	6,352	9,650	5,416	859	7,069	2,201
44 hours	40,913	4,805	2,674	15,814	4,450	4,140	4,050	426	2,595	1,959
45 - 47 hours	41,040	7,005	4,212	11,657	3,808	5,453	4,519	396	2,076	1,914
48 hours	55,059	7,523	2,605	16,465	3,804	9,696	5,392	1,340	7,333	1,001
49 - 50 hours	28,312	4,123	2,275	11,417	1,868	5,466	1,882	212	611	458
51 - 54 hours	17,630	3,594	1,310	3,338	1,387	2,271	1,586	136	3,682	326
55 hours	5,838	1,159	597	1,875	653	804	187	32	349	182
56 - 64 hours	7,474	3,485	314	735	689	1,490	390	43	236	92
65 hours or over	2,260	1,640	43	143	159	165	49	1	23	37
Total Wage-earners (1)	310,745	56,821	22,491	96,124	27,455	42,549	25,884	3,745	26,258	9,418
Average Hours Worked per Week .	42.7	42.3	42.4	42.5	41.9	44.1	43.2	43.4	43.3	41.7

(1) Exclusive of dairy factories, fish curing and packing plants, and sawmill operations.

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Table 23. - Male Wage-earners in the Forty Leading Industries Working Specified Numbers of Hours During One Week of the Month of Highest Employment, 1945 (1)

(Note: Industries ranked according to the annual number of male wage-earners.)

Industry	Hours Worked per Week										Total Wage-earners	Average Hours Worked per Week
	30 or less	31-43	44	45-47	48	49-50	51-54	55	56-64	65 or over		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1. Shipbuilding and repairs	3,174	10,487	15,667	4,751	5,579	4,401	2,535	711	6,020	4,708	58,033	46.9
2. Pulp and paper	1,737	3,431	978	1,416	12,528	1,941	3,968	703	6,563	3,282	36,547	50.5
3. Railway rolling-stock	546	3,826	13,440	2,685	5,652	1,665	1,304	418	1,156	581	31,273	45.6
4. Primary iron and steel	1,216	3,794	1,325	1,977	10,350	1,132	2,642	563	4,887	1,066	28,952	48.7
5. Aircraft and parts	1,280	8,223	2,570	2,825	12,581	4,953	1,612	226	2,137	1,498	37,905	46.4
6. Electrical apparatus and supplies	728	2,406	4,571	3,430	5,440	2,253	2,631	482	1,411	504	23,856	47.0
7. Machinery	773	2,012	2,031	1,961	3,373	3,698	3,289	1,398	2,071	815	21,421	49.0
8. Bread and other bakery products	872	667	603	1,007	5,019	1,950	4,006	1,178	2,783	241	18,326	50.0
9. Miscellaneous chemical products	1,347	2,963	1,491	1,648	8,467	1,094	7,361	422	1,505	523	26,821	47.8
10. Slaughtering and meat packing	1,553	3,290	792	3,084	2,199	2,000	3,062	812	1,421	285	18,498	46.1
11. Automobiles	808	2,972	1,194	2,938	9,255	568	787	112	518	43	19,195	45.4
12. Rubber goods including footwear	951	3,115	569	1,537	2,872	1,940	1,573	386	1,518	241	14,702	46.3
13. Miscellaneous iron and steel products	1,112	3,456	1,358	2,052	4,998	2,285	1,665	554	3,159	1,269	21,908	48.3
14. Castings, iron	659	1,763	936	1,717	2,628	2,081	1,864	1,655	1,644	532	15,479	48.8
15. Non-ferrous smelting and refining	388	901	189	848	11,105	205	575	93	1,351	116	16,771	48.1
16. Automobile supplies	907	1,701	755	2,037	1,462	2,884	1,905	622	1,783	494	14,550	48.2
17. Furniture	725	1,557	1,512	4,099	1,145	1,375	820	2,144	337	167	13,881	46.5
18. Cotton yarn and cloth	198	224	44	148	3,501	6,645	328	649	307	227	12,271	49.4
19. Sheet metal products	813	1,731	1,482	1,635	2,200	2,269	1,372	388	1,135	468	13,493	47.2
20. Agriculture implements	291	749	295	2,404	4,647	805	1,310	413	654	104	11,672	47.9
21. Hardware, tools and cutlery	483	1,096	817	1,409	2,305	1,740	1,180	649	1,338	344	11,361	48.6
22. Boots and shoes, leather	535	1,579	839	2,023	1,620	1,928	871	654	414	57	10,520	46.1
23. Planing mills, sash and door factories..	726	924	1,587	822	1,362	1,734	1,116	689	2,047	276	11,283	48.7
24. Brass and copper products	658	1,420	905	893	4,804	991	941	225	1,336	361	13,034	47.2
25. Printing and publishing	698	2,978	1,452	1,172	1,455	361	322	63	299	139	8,939	42.6
26. Printing and bookbinding	548	1,229	3,571	1,076	1,073	353	441	90	356	208	8,945	44.6
27. Clothing, men's factory	221	1,923	2,898	506	1,031	229	155	21	50	16	7,050	42.8
28. Hosiery and knitted goods	284	610	281	955	1,731	1,306	489	990	388	112	7,146	48.3
29. Fruit and vegetable preparations	3,716	1,494	360	572	433	703	1,042	507	2,965	3,587	15,369	49.2
30. Silk and artificial silk	271	609	172	329	856	1,341	1,227	528	1,163	289	6,785	50.5
31. Heating and cooking apparatus	362	901	293	767	1,328	1,225	503	475	478	275	6,607	47.6
32. Breweries	239	300	1,095	505	679	398	728	412	1,238	516	6,110	51.1
33. Bridge and structural steel	360	712	1,078	1,052	317	1,570	746	218	853	164	7,070	47.8
34. Acids, alkalies and salts	232	403	342	374	3,260	258	287	34	812	124	6,126	48.4
35. Petroleum products	154	1,011	2,849	163	763	94	189	29	212	190	5,654	44.7
36. Clothing, women's factory	404	2,167	1,552	456	672	169	137	10	71	5	5,643	41.2
37. Flour and feed mills	294	220	93	149	2,442	301	694	170	848	377	5,588	50.4
38. Machine shops	439	677	776	617	888	883	695	271	520	645	6,411	48.8
39. Biscuits, confectionery, cocoa, etc. ..	491	393	233	689	820	680	649	179	494	171	4,799	47.4
40. Boxes, wooden	538	473	323	395	627	534	652	1,057	990	151	5,740	49.3
Totals, Forty Leading Industries (2) ..	31,731	80,887	73,318	59,123	143,467	62,942	57,673	21,200	59,222	25,171	614,734	47.6
Totals, All Industries (2)	41,111	100,446	89,623	75,391	175,116	77,019	72,781	28,910	74,043	31,311	765,751	47.6

(1) Includes overtime. (2) Figures are exclusive of those for "butter and cheese", fish curing and packing and "sawmill operations" which are among the leading industries. Figures for these industries are not available.

WEEKLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES, 1945

Table 24. - Female Wage-earners in the Forty Leading Industries Working Specified Numbers of Hours
During One Week of the Month of Highest Employment, 1945 (1)

(Note: Industries ranked according to the annual number of female wage-earners)

Industry	Hours Worked per Week										Total Wage- earners	Average Hours Worked per Week
	30 or less	31- 43	44	45- 47	48	49- 50	51- 54	55	56- 64	65 or over		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.		
1. Clothing, women's factory.....	2,803	8,659	4,864	2,188	2,238	290	176	5	31	1	21,255	39.4
2. Clothing, men's factory	1,212	4,761	6,125	1,852	3,628	702	435	29	38	27	18,800	42.5
3. Hosiery and knitted goods	1,756	3,653	1,103	2,783	2,762	2,318	550	674	74	34	15,707	43.0
4. Electrical apparatus and supplies	1,414	3,299	3,006	3,446	2,260	1,341	1,361	101	202	18	16,448	43.4
5. Miscellaneous chemical products	1,430	4,302	917	1,215	6,627	469	3,459	331	128	9	18,887	44.5
6. Cotton yarn and cloth	624	588	69	368	3,044	4,571	147	259	12	-	9,682	48.7
7. Boots and shoes, leather	699	2,011	853	1,892	1,070	1,051	480	466	55	2	6,579	43.6
8. Bread and other bakery products	1,554	982	1,067	891	2,403	358	542	213	136	37	8,183	42.4
9. Biscuits, confectionery, cocoa, etc. .	1,878	1,602	735	1,616	1,003	835	334	111	75	8	8,197	40.4
10. Fruit and vegetable preparations	5,206	2,995	802	1,101	776	1,079	1,227	527	2,508	1,537	17,758	43.3
11. Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	596	1,653	456	893	1,643	477	398	28	47	-	6,191	42.8
12. Aircraft and parts	442	3,295	785	961	4,099	2,210	375	58	168	95	12,488	44.6
13. Rubber goods, including footwear	996	1,744	330	915	635	834	386	70	231	17	6,158	41.7
14. Boxes and bags, paper	809	1,174	629	975	821	715	345	61	130	14	5,673	42.6
15. Printing and bookbinding	1,253	1,335	1,628	495	586	127	186	22	119	48	5,799	39.8
16. Silk and artificial silk goods	375	710	307	477	581	1,162	522	300	120	1	4,555	45.6
17. Slaughtering and meat packing	428	1,370	370	963	479	444	307	63	52	2	4,478	42.4
18. Woollen cloth	467	631	218	449	596	979	441	236	60	10	4,087	43.9
19. Sheet Metal Products	507	939	406	718	640	775	339	160	37	1	4,522	44.7
20. Miscellaneous iron and steel products ..	781	1,391	240	1,299	1,996	587	233	98	652	34	7,311	44.5
21. Medicinal and pharmaceutical preparations	366	1,500	1,015	480	218	46	90	7	22	5	3,749	40.3
22. Miscellaneous foods	1,011	969	659	712	443	53	249	11	71	7	4,185	39.5
23. Miscellaneous paper products	505	822	388	542	618	267	240	54	60	4	3,500	42.1
24. Hardware, tools and cutlery	354	642	319	673	464	625	192	75	190	24	3,558	44.4
25. Automobile supplies	455	1,181	317	493	309	397	451	98	251	-	3,952	43.1
26. Hats and caps	361	1,474	381	281	329	92	28	5	7	-	2,958	39.1
27. Miscellaneous leather goods	339	898	593	474	258	112	100	6	1	-	2,781	40.7
28. Clothing contractors, men's	201	571	714	286	545	71	54	74	8	-	2,524	42.7
29. Fur goods	244	791	382	168	253	179	198	41	178	15	2,449	43.0
30. Brass and copper products	193	637	260	362	1,440	129	85	78	119	1	3,304	44.8
31. Jewellery, electro-plated ware, etc. .	199	780	529	297	215	206	59	4	27	5	2,321	41.6
32. Printing and publishing	452	456	456	196	301	93	59	9	65	7	2,094	40.3
33. Scientific and professional equipment ..	138	410	573	720	251	135	140	43	27	3	2,440	43.9
34. Corsets	115	372	272	810	386	1	-	-	106	-	2,062	44.0
35. Woollen yarn	263	360	88	333	361	453	148	28	6	-	2,040	43.4
36. Gloves and mittens, leather	489	409	269	285	205	248	50	4	4	-	1,963	39.5
37. Furniture	213	475	300	657	113	68	46	70	8	18	1,968	42.2
38. Glass products	160	493	140	264	592	155	81	25	12	1	1,923	43.2
39. Machinery	188	374	247	164	492	184	349	46	44	-	2,088	44.6
40. Cotton textiles, miscellaneous	167	550	381	322	244	38	14	-	2	-	1,718	41.1
Totals, Forty Leading Industries (2) ..	31,643	61,258	33,193	34,016	45,924	24,876	14,876	4,490	6,083	1,985	258,344	42.8
Totals, All Industries (2)	38,287	73,932	40,913	41,040	55,059	28,312	17,630	5,838	7,474	2,260	310,745	42.7

(1) Includes overtime. (2) Figures are exclusive of those for "butter and cheese" and "fish curing and packing" which are among the leading industries. Figures for these industries are not available.

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