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As compared with Fobruary $152 \sigma_{\text {, }}$ the number of assignments undor the Bankruptoy and Winding fip fots, as reported to the Dominion Bureau of Statistios romain about the sarse, while tho liabilitios of the assignors showed a decrease. Commercial Pailures in Canada In Fetruary 1927 numbered 142 as comparod with lis in the samo month of tho previous yoar and 191 In January 1927。 The liabilitios of the assignors amountod to $2,086,652$ as compared with $2,836,409$ in Eokruary 1926 and $2,626,292$ in January 1927.

## Commercial Failures by hroas.

Iaritime Provinces - In tho month undul reviow, thero wore 19 assignments in the llaritime Provinces, as compared with ll in January of the samo year and 8 in Eebruary 1926. Tho liabilitics in gevruary wore approximately ${ }^{3} 174,000$.

Quebec.- In Quebec, failures in Fobruary numbered 54 as compared. with 65 in January 1927 and 38 in February 1926, a deciine of about 30 poo., being noted in tho lattor compurison The liabilities in Fobruary were in the neighbourhood of serb,000.

Ontario.- Commorcial failuros in Ontario numberod 43 as compared with 72 in. January of tho same year and 67 in Eebruary 1926, a decreaso of akout $36 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{c}$. as compared with last year. The liabilitios were about औ785, 000.

Prairie Provincos.- In tho throc prairio provinces, the commercial failures numbored 21 in february 1927, as compared with 33 in January of the samo year and 25 fn Robruary 1927, a docroaso of about i6 p.c. In the latter compuriscn. The liabilities were arout \$226,000.

British Coluabia.- In the Pacific Provinco, the commercial failures numbered 6 a compared with the same nurber for the provious month of the same year, and 8 for Fobruary 1926, a dearease of about $25 \mathrm{p} \cdot \mathrm{c}$. in the lattor comparison. The liabilitios totalled about 356,000.

## Eailures by Branohes of Eusinoss

Mrade. - Trading establishmonts constitited as usual a majority of the failures, 66 assigning in February 1927 as compared with 88 in January 1927 and 74 in Fobruary 1926. z docroaso of about ll $p=c$, in the latter comparison.

Manufactures. Manufactuang ostablishments to the number of 32 assignod during Eobriux $\quad 527$, as against 45 in Janurry and 20 in February lies, an inuress: baing notod as compared with last yoar.

Other failures numbered 10 in agriculture, 2 in logging, 2 in mining, 5 in construction, 3 in transportation and public facilities, and 17 in service.

## DUXULATI VE MTO MONTHS' TOMAL OE EAIJUFTS ARD LIABILITIES

The cumulative total of commercial failures for the first two months of 1927 was 334 es compared with 328, 432, 551, 742 and 714 for the same period of 1926, 1925, 1924, 1923 and 1922 respoctively. The defaulted liabilities for the first two months of 1927 wero ${ }^{W} 4,712,944$, as compared with $5,224,196,33,981,971$, $\$ 10,056,618,411,991,697$ and $10,633,476$ for tho same pariods of the fivo preceding years. Thus defaultod liabilitios showad a considerablo deoline from the same periods of the five preceding years.

## Cumulative Record of Commercial Railures in Canada, by Provinoes January to February 1922-1927.

| Comparative |
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Commercial Failures in Canada, by Branohes of Businosse January to February 1924 . 1925 . 1926 and 1927 .


The commercial failuros in each month from January 1923 are given by provinces in 2able l, while Table 2 furnishes statistics of commercial failures by branches of business by months from June 1923 to Eebruary 1927. The dotailod figures of failures during Fetruary 1927 are shown by provincos and branohes of business in Tablo 3. Tho assets and liabilitios of those failing during eobruary 1927 are shown by provinces in Table 4 .

Total 1922-15 121 131 1,589 1,058 284 272 299 156 3, 925
$\begin{array}{lllllllllll}70+a 1 & 1925-16 & 155 & 67 & 1.101 & 97 C & 258 & 280 & 323 & 158 & 3.408\end{array}$

1921


| January 1 | 13 | 7 | 116 | 86 | 10 | 11 | 20 | 6 | 270 |
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| porruary | 4 | 5 | E 0 | 60 | 5 | 9 | 14 | 5 | 162 |
| March | 9 | 4 | 67 | 91 | 7 | 9 | 22 | 9 | 198 |
| Anril | 5 | 6 | 58 | 59 | 11 | 12 | 6 | 5 | 162 |
| May 1 | 3 | 9 | 66 | 57 | 5 | 8 | 11 | - | 160 |
| Juno | 3 | 6 | 43 | 67 | 7 | 5 | 6 | 8 | 145 |
| July | 4 | 5 | 50 | 52 | 3 | 2 | 11 | 4 | 131 |
| $\therefore$ ¢gust | 4 | 5 | 51 | 55 | 3 | 2 | 10 | 4 | 134 |
| Sontombor - | 5 | 2 | 69 | 54 | 9 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 151 |
| Ootokor 2 | 7 | 4 | 45 | 47 | 7 | 4 | 11 | 11 | 142 |
| Novomber | 5 | 3 | 66 | 53 | 8 | - | 12 | 9 | $1 \in 3$ |
| Decombor | 9 | 11 | 63 | 59 | 10 | 3 | 10 | 9 | 177 |
| Notal 1925...4 | 71 | 67 | 758 | 720 | 85 | 77 | 139 | 74 | 995 |

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| January | 1 | 15 | - 10 | 80 | 54 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 3 | 184 |
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| Pokruary | - | 5 | 3 | 38 | 67 | 11 | 3 | 11 | 6 | 144 |
| 3:arch | 2 | 2 | 3 | 54 | 48 | 7 | 6 | 12 | 2 | 136 |
| $\therefore$ pril | 1 | 1 | 7 | 51 | 45 | 11 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 131 |
| Lay | - | 4 | 6 | 41 | 50 | 8 | 3 | 4 | 8 | 124 |
| Juno | - | 6 | 8 | 47 | 51 | 10 | 8 | 9 | 6 | 145 |
| July | - | 3 | 5 | 54 | 58 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 4 | 140 |
| August | - | ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 3 | 43 | 49 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 121 |
| Soptomber | - | 5 | 6 | 44 | 47 | 4 | 6 | 15 | 5 | 132 |
| October | - | 5 | 11 | 75 | 63 | 4 | 5 | 10 | 5 | 178 |
| Novomber | - | 6 | 6 | 64 | 53 | 8 | 11 | 11 | 6 | 165 |
| Iccember | - | 7 | 6 | 62 | 70 | 4 | 3 | 15 | 4 | 171 |
| 20ta 1926 |  | 63 | 74 | 65.3 | 655 | 84 | 67 | 113 | 58 | 77.1 |
|  |  |  |  | 19 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | - | 5 | 6 | 65 | 72 | 10 | 4 | 19 | 10 | 191 |
| Fokruary | - | 8 | 11 | 54 | 4 3 | 6 | 4 | 11 | 6 | 143 |


|  | Trade | Ianu <br> fac- <br> ture | Agri <br> cul- <br> ture | LOg <br> ing, <br> Fish- <br> ing, <br> Trap. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ing } \\ & \text { ing } \end{aligned}$ | Construc tion | Trans- <br> - por- <br> tation | Fi- <br> nan | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Ser- } \\ & \text { ace. vice } \end{aligned}$ | Not classi fied | Total |
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| 1924 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jan. | 262 | 35 | 33 | - | - | 5 | 9 | - | 10 | 37 | 291 |
| Feb. | 142 | 34 | 14 | 2 | - | 6 | 9 | 1 | 11 | 41 | 260 |
| Mar. | 128 | 33 | 12 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | - | 9 | 31 | 223 |
| April | 106 | 21 | 26 | 3 | - | 7 | 1 | 1 | T | 8 | 180 |
| May | 109 | 26 | 10 | 2 | - | 1 | 3 | 3 | 10 | 15 | 179 |
| June | 87 | 23 | 13 | - | - | 5 | 1 | - |  | 10 | 147 |
| July | 92 | 18 | 12 | 1 | - | 3 | 3 | 1 | 16 | 9 | - 155 |
| August. | 73 | 20 | 5 | - | - | 1 | 4 | 1 | 23 | - 12 | 129 |
| Seot. | 85 | 20 | 21 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 2 | - | 6 | 11 | 153 |
| Oct. | 104 | 35 | 14 | 2 | 1 | 5 | - | - | 12 | - 11 | 184 |
| Nov. | 117 | 32 | 22 | 2 | 13 | - | - | - | 19 | 14 | 219 |
| Dec. | 112 | 32 | 22 | - | - | 7 | - | - | 9 | 17 | 199 |
| Total | 1,317 | 329 | 204 | 14 | 22 | 44 | 36 | 8 | 129 | 216 | 2,319 |



$\frac{192^{7}}{\operatorname{Jan}}$
$\begin{array}{llllllllll}88 & 45 & 15 & 2 & - & 7 & 5 & - & 23 & 6 \\ 66 & 32 & 10 & 2 & 0 & 5 & 5 & - & 7 & 6\end{array}$
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| Construction | － | 1 | － | 1 | 2 | － | － | 1 | － | 5 |
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| Grand Total． | － | 8 | 11 | 64 | 43 | 6 | 4 | 11 | 6 | 143 |

 AND LIABILIZIES FCF RZBTUATY 1927.
(Prepared from the preliminary statements of aifuirs received from trustees)


