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FINAL SUMMARY STATISTICS, 1932.

Compared with 1931 the number of plants dropped to 1,233 from 1,243, capital employed declined to \$608,619,518 from \$676,270,362, the number of employees to 74,214 from 96,927, salaries and wages to \$82,339,437 from \$120,759,931, and the cost of materials for manufacturing to \$102,289,749 from \$170,754,686.

The principal statistics for the iron and steel industries are given below. Detailed reports on each of these industries may be obtained by writing to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa.

Industries	Number of plants	Capital employed \$	Average number of em- ployees	Salaries and wages \$	Cost of materials at works \$	Selling value of products at works \$
Primary iron and steel	52	96,323,629	4,847	6,131,057	6,289,483	16,197,526
Castings and forgings.	322	79,225,330	12,452	11,821,243	9,825,439	29,285,144
Boilers, tanks and engines	41	10,231,811	1,391	1,636,953	1,527,402	4,465,039
Agricultural implements and machinery	47	73,576,979	2,758	3,097,975	1,907,768	5,510,078
Machinery	179	57,753,031	7,191	7,894,912	7,731,233	22,270,195
Automobiles	25	49,641,777	8,810	11,435,741	28,278,809	43,801,389
Automobile parts	76	17,332,257	3,832	3,874,618	5,970,954	12,161,456
Bicycles	3	2,227,071	226	235,465	139,755	762,348
Railway rolling stock.	38	87,289,160	15,612	17,460,142	14,101,765	32,465,192
Wire and wire goods ..	71	26,593,675	2,923	2,913,312	3,591,238	10,407,213
Sheet metal products..	157	51,671,470	6,372	6,756,826	14,831,672	27,886,299
Hardware and tools ...	136	26,180,715	4,435	4,110,969	2,662,104	10,531,741
Miscellaneous iron and steel	68	5,700,394	1,172	1,335,011	1,322,985	3,076,860
Bridge and structural steel work	18	24,872,219	2,193	3,635,213	4,109,142	7,385,013
TOTAL - 1932	1,233	608,619,518	74,214	82,339,437	102,289,749	226,205,543
TOTAL - 1931	1,243	676,270,362	96,927	120,759,931	170,754,686	374,725,068

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