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THE BAKERY AND CONFECTIONERY INDUSTRY, 1918.

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics has completed a preliminary survey of the above industry which includes bread, buns and cakes and other bakery products, biscuits, confectionery and ice cream. The number of bakeries and confectionery establishments in Canada reporting to the Bureau in 1918 was 1930, distributed by provinces as follows: Alberta 96, British Columbia 125, Manitoba 87, New Brunswick 27, Nova Scotia 51, Ontario 826, Prince Edward Island 3, Quebec 629, Saskatchewan 83 and the Yukon 3.

Capital investment.

The capital invested in the industry was \$40,272,208, itemized as - land, buildings and fixtures \$16,335,844; machinery and tools \$7,894,910; materials on hand, stocks in process, finished products, fuel, etc., \$7,951,435; cash, trading and operating accounts and bills receivable \$9,110,019. Distributed in order, by provinces, Ontario's capital investment was \$20,945,700, Quebec \$2,373,972, Manitoba \$2,311,032, British Columbia \$2,001,526, Nova Scotia \$1,976,026, New Brunswick \$1,781,508, Alberta \$1,249,346, Saskatchewan \$602,223, Yukon \$14,700 and Prince Edward Island \$10,171.

Employees, Salaries and Wages.

The number of persons employed by classes and by sex in the Dominion are given in the following tabular statement -

Classes	Employees		Salaries and Wages.
	Male	Female	
Officers, superintendents and managers	548	29	1,350,514
Clerks, stenographers and other salaried employees	1,104	672	1,632,966
Employees on wages, average No.	10,345	6,301	11,186,637
Outside piece-workers	63	46	31,650
TOTALS	12,060	7,048	34,201,767

Fuel and Miscellaneous Expenses.

Fuel consumption.- The total cost of the different kinds of fuel used during the year was \$1,345,606 of which fuel of Canadian origin amounted to \$793,248, and of foreign to \$552,358. The principal items of fuel of all kinds by quantities and values were - coal 77,283 tons worth \$712,603; coke 15,665 tons worth \$149,400; gasoline 61,802 gallons worth \$25,748; fuel oils 95,140 gallons worth \$21,535; wood 59,005 cords worth \$314,130; gas, natural and artificial 246,466 thousand c.ft. worth \$111,947, and other unspecified fuel worth \$10,243.

Miscellaneous expenses.- The total charge for miscellaneous items or expense for the year amounted to \$7,298,690, comprising rent of offices, works and machinery \$558,515, rent of power \$159,460, insurance premiums \$268,850, federal taxes \$271,968, municipal and provincial taxes \$337,536, advertising expenses \$378,253, travelling expenses \$661,729, ordinary repairs to buildings and machinery \$559,702, and other sundry expenses amounting to \$4,102,757.

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## Materials used.

The total cost of all materials used in the manufacture of bread, biscuits and confectionery was \$51,152,127, itemized by quantity and value in the following table -

Classes of materials	Unit of measure	Quantity	Value \$
Flour . . . . .	bbls	2,707,014	27,963,903
Yeast . . . . .	pounds	2,780,729	821,723
Salt . . . . .	bbls	53,406	117,263
Butter . . . . .	pounds	1,238,881	524,294
Lard . . . . .	"	9,671,972	2,531,017
Milk and cream . . . . .	gallons	2,568,773	1,288,301
Eggs . . . . .	dozen	1,591,750	723,976
Fruits . . . . .	pounds	5,313,655	771,632
Syrups . . . . .	gallons	2,206,505	602,593
Glucose . . . . .	pounds	9,811,619	784,310
Cocoa and chocolate . . . . .	"	10,416,175	2,109,707
Cocoa butter . . . . .	"	2,329,960	724,747
Sugar . . . . .	"	51,258,538	5,320,184
Extracts, essences and other flavourings . . . . .			260,144
All other materials . . . . .			4,703,290
Boxes, cases, tins and labels			1,905,043
Total cost value			51,152,127

## Products.

The various products of the industry are shown by quantity and value wherever possible in the table below -

Classes of products	Unit of measure	Quantity	Value \$
Bread . . . . .	loaves	404,954,469	40,159,040
Biscuits . . . . .	tons	42,737	14,264,864
Confectionery . . . . .	pounds	59,767,884	21,280,233
Ice cream . . . . .	gallons	1,878,933	2,436,241
Buns . . . . .			856,416
Pies and cakes . . . . .		-	4,112,582
Puddings . . . . .		-	476,052
All other products . . . . .		-	1,812,287
Construction and repair work		-	158,123
Total value of products			85,555,848

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