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SECTION I

THE COTTON TEXTILE INDUSTRIES IN CANADA, 1944

This industry is divided into six sections; (1) general review of the industry as a whole, (2) cotton yarn and cloth, (3) cotton thread, (4) cotton and wool waste, (5) cotton batting and wadding and (6) miscellaneous cotton goods. The last named industry comprises all manufactures, the chief component of which is cotton and which cannot be properly classified under any of the other sections.

Peak war-time production in the cotton industries as a whole was reached in 1942. In that year total yarn production amounted to 215,293,653 pounds, an increase of over fifty per cent as compared with 1939, but, due to the demand for coarse yarns for military fabrics, etc., there was actually a slight decline in the production of fine yarns. Weaving facilities were also necessarily diverted largely to heavy fabrics, and this, together with the fine yarn situation, the insufficient amount of yarns available to hosiery and knit goods manufacturers, and the fact that requirements of heavy fabrics for civilian work clothing, etc., could not be met, intensified the problems of industrial and civilian supply. Domestic production was therefore supplemented to the greatest extent possible by increased imports. The partial inability of domestic producers to meet the very heavy demands of the war years was aggravated by the labour situation, and this reflected in both the decline in production apparent in 1943 as compared with 1942 and in the lower employment figures.

Reports were received from 162 establishments in 1944, being 5 more than in the preceding year. The provincial distribution of these establishments is shown in Table I for 1943 and 1944.

During 1944 the cotton textile industries produced goods with a selling value at the factory of \$140,059,844, which was a decrease of \$9,859,976 or 7 per cent as compared with the previous year. Employment was given to 25,498 persons, being a decline of 1,578 or about 6 per cent. The amount paid out in salaries and wages, \$32,284,527, was smaller by only \$46,403, or less than 1 per cent. Materials used cost \$81,644,206, a decrease of \$13,026,593 or approximately 14 per cent.

In order to show the production in this industry in adequate detail and at the same time avoid disclosing the operations of individual establishments, it has been found necessary to group the output of the five individual industries, and this has been done in table 4. The same procedure has been applied to materials, which are shown in Table 5. However, fairly detailed lists of production and materials in the cotton yarn and cloth industry can be set up, and this has been done in Section 2.

All fabrics produced, other than for use in the manufacture of tires, had a value of \$73,426,945 in 1944. Grey cotton fabric was the main item, and 63,437,015 pounds or 182,515,066 yards, with a selling value of \$29,341,362, were produced. In connection with this item, it should be noted that a very considerable yardage goes to other mills for further processing, the amount so disposed of in 1944 totalling 80,790,102 yards.

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Yarns spun for sale totalled \$17,366,776, while thread was valued at \$5,-876,095. Tire fabrics produced had a value of \$11,264,503. Other important items were blankets, towels, sheets, bedspreads, etc. In table 4 will be found the valuation of these and all other items that could be shown, together with the quantity wherever possible.

The principal material used in this industry is raw cotton, and in 1944 its consumption was 175,471,868 pounds valued at \$29,377,381. Yarns of all kinds used cost \$12,843,845, cotton yarn being the dominant item. The expenditure for all kinds of fabrics totalled \$23,684,840. Dyes, bleaches and chemicals, etc. cost \$3,591,137.

Table 1. - Location of Mills of Cotton Textiles Group of Industries, 1943 and 1944.

Provinces	Cotton Yarn and Cloth		Cotton Thread		Cotton and Wool Waste		Cotton Batting and Wadding		x Miscel- -laneous Cotton Textiles		All Cotton Textile Mills	
	1943 No.	1944 No.	1943 No.	1944 No.	1943 No.	1944 No.	1943 No.	1944 No.	1943 No.	1944 No.	1943 No.	1944 No.
CANADA ...	40	41	7	7	25	25	4	4	81	85	157	162
Nova Scotia .	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
New Brunswick	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
Quebec	16	16	5	5	9	8	2	2	49	51	81	82
Ontario	21	22	2	2	12	13	2	2	29	32	66	71
Manitoba	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	2	1
Alberta	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1
British Columbia ..	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	-	1	1	4	4

x Production in the "Miscellaneous cotton textiles", includes comforters, curtains and curtain material, bedspreads, quilted goods, pillows and cushions, muff beds, runners, scarves and drapes, couch and mattress covers, tailors' supplies, rubber thread, tapes and webbing, garters, elastic, aprons, gaiters and spats, suspenders, powder puffs, etc.

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Table 2. - Principal Statistics of the Cotton Textile Group of Industries, 1928 to 1943

Year and Industries	Estab-	Capital Invested	Em-	Salaries and Wages	Cost of Materials Used	Gross Value of Production
	lish-ments		ployees			
	No.	\$	No.	\$	\$	\$
1928	79	100,452,297	23,449	19,431,407	51,555,246	91,480,532
1929	80	104,985,047	22,087	18,550,186	49,980,812	90,079,956
1930	77	87,589,707	18,590	14,561,949	33,088,200	58,587,366
1931	93	82,183,112	17,577	13,987,990	26,210,708	50,986,932
1932	95	79,785,322	16,818	13,161,177	22,188,896	45,351,012
1933	104	82,071,083	17,335	13,221,729	29,789,948	58,460,780
1934	104	83,071,083	20,029	15,407,351	37,689,370	70,275,980
1935	106	77,902,879	20,248	15,031,412	38,615,498	68,917,349
1936	106	79,610,629	20,224	16,256,130	42,313,122	75,413,189
1937	111	76,429,033	21,660	18,578,034	48,244,951	83,360,521
1938	109	69,777,590	20,444	16,774,848	35,233,954	67,205,182
1939	110	90,621,180	22,340	19,120,445	41,377,000	81,229,698
1940	108	97,423,757	26,017	25,362,997	60,975,877	115,559,067
1941	120	105,042,267	29,600	30,381,883	79,747,984	146,120,232
<u>1942</u>						
TOTAL	155	103,961,402	29,394	33,204,504	94,554,896	164,448,498
Cotton yarn and cloth.	40	91,398,489	25,796	29,304,427	80,629,998	141,899,520
Cotton thread	7	4,494,842	933	1,099,682	3,172,384	6,182,178
Cotton and wool waste.	28	1,913,252	454	594,487	3,664,104	4,915,544
Cotton batting and wadding	5	1,621,554	285	433,731	1,439,852	2,668,340
Miscellaneous cotton textiles	75	4,533,265	1,926	1,772,177	5,648,558	8,782,916
<u>1943</u>						
TOTAL	157	97,166,383	27,076	32,330,930	94,670,799	149,919,820
Cotton yarn and cloth.	40	85,060,925	23,526	28,146,211	80,663,290	126,879,874
Cotton thread	7	4,284,795	970	1,129,598	3,345,189	6,332,525
Cotton and wool waste.	25	1,861,763	453	670,604	3,770,209	5,168,303
Cotton batting and wadding	4	1,477,355	309	499,795	1,687,955	2,852,489
Miscellaneous cotton textiles	81	4,481,545	1,818	1,884,722	5,204,156	8,886,629
<u>1944</u>						
TOTAL	162	not	25,498	32,284,527	81,644,206	140,059,844
Cotton yarn and cloth.	41		21,900	27,865,543	66,948,167	116,707,311
Cotton thread	7	collected	905	1,094,570	3,381,739	5,876,095
Cotton and wool waste.	25	in	468	728,153	4,110,519	5,631,031
Cotton batting and wadding	4	1944	362	590,475	1,829,970	2,928,359
Miscellaneous cotton textiles	85		1,863	2,005,786	5,373,811	8,917,048

Note: Profits or losses cannot be estimated from Census figures as no data are collected for certain expense items, such as interest, rent, depreciation, taxes, insurance, advertising, etc.

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Table 3. - Comparison of Principal Statistics of the Cotton Textile Group of Industries, 1943 and 1944

Items	1943	1944	+ Increase - Decrease
Establishments reporting No.	157	162	+ 5
Capital invested \$	97,166,383	(not collected)	
Employees on salaries -			
Total No.	1,822	1,819	- 3
Male No.	1,092	1,095	+ 3
Female No.	730	724	- 6
Total salaries \$	4,451,441	4,552,727	+ 101,286
Employees on wages -			
Monthly average No.	25,254	23,679	- 1,575
Male No.	12,879	12,051	- 828
Female No.	12,375	11,628	- 747
Total wages \$	27,879,489	27,731,800	- 147,689
Power Equipment (1)			
Units No.	15,940	16,826	+ 886
Horse-power capacity H.P.	119,055	122,657	+ 3,602
Cost of fuel and electricity (2) ... \$	3,330,153	3,400,137	+ 69,984
Cost of materials used \$	94,670,799	81,644,206	-13,026,593
Gross value of production \$	149,919,820	140,059,844	- 9,859,976

(1) For details of power equipment installed, see Table 8.

(2) For details of fuel and electricity consumed, see Table 9.

N.B. Mechanical equipment is shown for the Cotton Yarn and cloth industry only, see Table 19.

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Table 4. - Products Made by the Cotton Textile Group of Industries, 1944

Principal Products	Q U A N T I T Y		Selling Value at Factory
	Pounds	Lineal Yards	\$
Fabrics			
All Cotton -			
(1) Grey	63,437,015	182,515,066	29,341,362
Bleached	9,176,964	38,807,141	5,555,945
Printed and painted	16,911,430	74,655,392	12,292,715
Piece dyed	12,774,992	43,789,209	8,341,166
Yarn and stock dyed	11,853,952	31,501,906	6,288,998
Pillow cotton	499,133	1,259,675	272,808
Bed sheeting	4,353,848	6,558,295	2,241,575
Towelling	519,025	3,558,219	592,566
Cotton and continuous filament artificial silk mixed	897,618	2,122,665	912,388
All artificial silk (continuous filament).		7,731,606	2,009,354
All spun rayon and mixtures		9,425,998	2,703,323
Narrow fabrics (12" and under)			
Woven, elastic	143,974	2,727,111	158,228
Woven, non-elastic	647,000	8,939,898	511,629
Braided and other	27,182	3,610,342	160,441
Other fabrics -			
Tapestries and other upholstering materials	1,226,006	1,546,181	972,967
Drapery, damask and other fabrics		2,696,993	1,071,480
TOTAL FABRICS		421,445,697	73,426,945
		<u>Unit of Measure</u>	
Yarns spun for sale -			
All Cotton -			
Grey, knitting	Pound	11,524,158	4,112,599
" other, singles	"	11,925,912	4,445,449
" other, plied	"	10,101,060	4,424,058
Bleached, knitting	"	133,365	65,143
" other	"	236,350	127,999
Coloured, knitting	"	2,527,353	1,201,653
" other	"	2,879,482	1,560,397
All other	"	1,497,377	793,254
Cotton and Wool Mixed			
Grey	"	334,536	244,429
Bleached and coloured	"	249,586	213,207
Spun rayon, including spun rayon mixtures	"	233,276	113,643
All other yarns	"	120,442	64,945
Thread			
Cotton			5,617,384
Other			258,711
Tire Fabrics (woven)			
Cord	"	12,477,949	6,001,531
Rayon and other	"	7,983,112	5,262,972

(1) It should be noted that in 1944, 80,790,102 yards of grey cotton went to other mills for further processing.

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Table 4. - Products Made by the Cotton Textile Group of Industries, 1944 (Conc.)

	Unit of Measure	Quantity	Selling Value at Factory
		Lineal Yards	\$
Twine, Cordage etc.			
Wrapping twine	Pound	2,303,804	742,394
Other twine and lines	"	2,312,432	971,369
Rope and cordage	"	856,824	364,393
Nets and netting	"	1,149,825	894,441
Blankets -			
All Cotton	Pair or Pound	1,793,032 5,335,204	2,891,770
Cotton mixed	Pair or Pound	115,142 400,967	243,782
Towels			
Plain and huck	Dozen	300,697	625,065
Terry	"	1,089,054	2,610,087
Terry Face Cloths	"	531,339	296,595
Curtains.....	Pair	1,068,530	1,447,575
Bed Spreads & Quilts			
Cotton.....	Number	490,736	1,668,899
Artificial silk.....	"	38,706	153,424
Bed sets	"	15,486	98,896
Pillows	"	83,143	71,162
Pillow cases	Dozen	205,830	567,546
Comforters			
Cotton	Number	132,858	351,371
Down	"	25,935	159,925
Wool	"	36,415	187,066
Other	"	69	24
Tailors' Supplies			
Canvas fronts.....			1,394,791
Paas and other supplies			538,717
Sheets	Dozen	120,165	1,462,257
Mattresses			232,874
Table cloths			124,209
Handkerchiefs			145,311
Powder puffs	Gross	35,173	203,135
Muff beds	Dozen	6,119	160,340
Covers			
Mattress	Dozen	6,963	65,678
Cushion, chair, table, etc.			334,402
Bags, all kinds			554,649
Cushions and auto seats			416,188
Waste			
Cotton	Pound	36,030,855	1,918,783
Wool	"	3,551,507	1,267,192
Other	"	1,124,982	249,151
Batts, Batting and Wadding			
Chiefly cotton	"	807,674	453,876
Other	"	663,082	55,841
Padding	"	2,472,100	275,888
Felt, flock and waste cotton	"	10,997,834	714,665
Rags and wipers			2,599,629
Cheesecloth processed			287,683
Custom throwing, spinning, weaving, dyeing and bleaching			972,196
Custom work and repairs			263,996
All other products			3,283,290
TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS			140,059,844

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Table 5. - Materials Used by the Cotton Textile Group of Industries, 1944

Principal Materials	Unit of Measure	1 9 4 4		1 9 4 5	
		Quantity	Cost Value at Factory	Quantity	Cost Value at Factory
			\$		\$
Cotton -					
Raw	Pound	175,471,868	29,377,381	198,750,563	46,254,240
Linters	"	1,746,264	207,340	1,286,339	158,483
Waste	"	28,223,486	1,984,896	28,517,914	2,036,811
Wool, raw, scoured, etc. ...	"	88,420	42,821	167,178	113,752
Wool tops, rolls, waste, etc.	"	3,523,565	1,344,183	3,071,204	1,019,566
Waste, other	"	2,395,428	323,204	1,374,813	171,468
Rayon staple fibre (fibro, etc.)	"	1,941,512	574,769	1,949,515	595,421
Fibres, all other	"	2,315,793	465,928	11,177	9,124
Yarns, domestic (not made by plant reporting) -					
All cotton -					
Grey	"	12,040,481	5,159,904	10,191,712	3,866,920
Coloured	"	413,608	156,446	677,220	281,287
Bleached and mercerized.	"	385,279	552,922	14,911	20,012
Artificial silk (continuous filament)	"	3,231,586	2,110,734	1,419,371	891,454
Spun rayon incl. spun rayon mixtures	"	31,846	19,496	57,039	32,412
High tenacity rayon and other artificial silk	"	1,299,906	935,197)	216,503	204,572
All other	"	107,183	132,387)		
Yarns, imported -					
Artificial silk (continuous filament)	"	1,252,176	808,962	5,787	7,218
All cotton -					
Grey	"	1,585,450	1,340,386	3,004,791	2,361,199
Mercerized and coloured.	"	54,727	65,919	437,540	457,500
High tenacity rayon and other artificial silk	"	1,738,750	1,117,557)		133,437
All other	"	107,546	166,895)		
Yarns, origin not specified	"	433,679	277,040		254,379
Fabrics, domestic (not made by plant reporting)-					
All cotton -					
Grey	Pound or Yd.	20,685,179)	9,597,416	30,509,485)	14,091,368
		80,790,102)		102,535,619)	
All spun rayon and other artificial silk	Pound	1,569,036	1,214,050	1,777,228	1,476,547
All other		-	26,808	-	-
Fabrics, imported -					
All cotton	Pound or Yd.	11,106,964)	7,760,295	10,430,269)	4,019,229
All other	Yard	43,435,292)		36,035,234)	
		799,112	244,723	-	-
Fabrics, origin not specified-					
Cotton	Yard	15,984,427	3,374,234	14,525,593	2,845,212
Silk and satin	"	335,076	161,331	218,845	106,245
Artificial silk	"	527,449	251,584	870,357	437,758
Canvas, all kinds	"	1,996,943	784,855	2,464,559	917,312

I/ Does not include subsidies

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Table 5. - Materials Used by the Cotton Textile Group of Industries, 1944 (Conc.)

Principal Materials	Unit of Measure	1943		1944	
		Quantity	Cost Value at Factory	Quantity	Cost Value at Factory
			\$		\$
Rubber yarn and thread	Pound	38,098	31,717	-	11,348
Thread, other	"	-	164,012	-	125,779
Rags	"	12,861,544	764,800	11,999,005	557,230
Wipers, cotton	"	13,220,747	1,280,039	9,629,109	1,010,326
" Other	"	99,532	4,320	4,457,050	442,167
Felt, cotton	"	469,523	95,748	503,503	98,284
" other	"	128,874	35,594	81,136	20,197
Tapes, binding, etc.	-	-	47,804	-	59,491
Feathers and down	-	-	99,555	-	85,031
Kapok	Pound	2,570	775	-	2,889
Starch and sizing materials					
Potato starch	"	2,685,664	194,198	3,806,639	254,453
Corn starch	"	2,274,714	111,091	1,615,316	81,995
Other starch and sizing materials	"	4,762,499	344,133	4,285,835	339,375
Dyestuffs, bleaches, chemicals, oils etc.	-	-	3,591,137	-	3,877,361
Spools, tubes, spool wood, paper cones, etc.	-	-	167,882	-	240,025
Finishing, processing and dyeing charges	-	-	434,033	-	(3,018,801
All other materials	-	-	2,463,862	-	
Packing and shipping materials.	-	-	964,298	-	1,130,367
TOTAL COST OF MATERIALS USED ..	-	-	81,644,206	-	94,670,799

Table 6. - Capital Invested in the Cotton Textile Group, 1930 to 1944

Year	Fixed Capital	Working Capital		Total Capital
	Present value of land, buildings, fixtures, machinery, tools, etc.	Inventory value of materials on hand, Stocks in process, finished products, fuel and miscellaneous supplies, etc.	Cash, trading and operating accounts, etc.	
	\$	\$	\$	\$
1930	57,817,543	16,203,183	13,568,981	87,589,707
1931	55,419,331	13,164,401	13,599,380	82,183,112
1932	57,014,659	13,023,773	9,746,990	79,785,322
1933	53,787,932	13,130,598	15,701,662	82,620,192
1934	52,405,542	17,293,406	13,372,135	83,071,083
1935	52,740,140	16,046,916	9,115,823	77,902,879
1936	52,369,034	16,889,564	10,352,031	79,610,629
1937	48,961,537	16,825,420	10,642,076	76,429,033
1938	43,780,937	16,117,813	9,878,840	69,777,590
1939	58,180,797	17,169,391	15,270,992	90,621,180
1940	59,422,590	21,482,942	16,518,225	97,423,757
1941	60,686,109	26,142,158	18,214,000	105,042,267

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Table 6. - Capital Invested in the Cotton Textile Group, 1930 to 1944 (concl'd.)

Year and Industries	Fixed Capital	Working Capital		Total Capital
	Present value of land, buildings, Fixtures, machinery, tools, etc.	Inventory value of materials on hand, stocks in process, finished products, fuel and miscellaneous supplies, etc.	Cash, trading and operating accounts, etc.	
	\$	\$	\$	\$
<u>1942</u>				
TOTAL	55,151,350	27,626,074	21,183,978	103,961,402
Cotton yarn and cloth	51,105,834	22,364,719	17,927,936	91,398,489
Cotton thread	1,073,791	2,467,528	953,523	4,494,842
Cotton and wool waste	634,146	764,040	515,066	1,913,252
Cotton batting and wadding	861,615	401,003	358,936	1,621,554
Miscellaneous cotton textiles	1,475,964	1,628,784	1,428,517	4,533,265
<u>1943</u>				
TOTAL	53,264,233	22,346,672	21,605,478	97,166,383
Cotton yarn and cloth	49,246,911	17,327,040	18,468,974	85,060,925
Cotton thread	1,080,455	2,314,303	890,037	4,284,795
Cotton and wool waste	604,818	738,087	518,858	1,861,763
Cotton batting and wadding	851,757	326,112	299,486	1,477,355
Miscellaneous cotton textiles	1,412,292	1,641,130	1,428,123	4,481,545
<u>1944</u>	Information Not Collected			

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Table 7. - Employees by Sex and Remuneration and by Provinces,
in the Cotton Textile Group, 1943 and 1944.

		CANADA	Quebec	Ontario	Other Provinces
<u>1943</u>					
Salaried Employees -					
Total	No.	1,822	1,249	526	47
Male	No.	1,092	775	290	27
Female	No.	730	474	236	20
Total Salaries	\$	4,451,441	3,085,705	1,275,721	90,015
Wage-earners -					
Monthly average	No.	25,254	17,447	6,672	1,135
Male	No.	12,879	9,410	2,901	568
Female	No.	12,375	8,037	3,771	567
Total wages	\$	27,879,489	19,114,259	7,472,340	1,292,890
All Employees -					
Total	No.	27,076	18,696	7,198	1,182
Male	No.	13,971	10,185	3,191	595
Female	No.	13,105	8,511	4,007	587
Total salaries and wages	\$	32,330,930	22,199,964	8,748,061	1,382,905
Salaried Employees -					
Total	No.	1,819	1,249	521	49
Male	No.	1,095	763	303	29
Female	No.	724	486	218	20
Total Salaries	\$	4,552,727	3,120,105	1,344,804	87,818
Wage-earners -					
Monthly average	No.	23,679	16,087	6,461	1,131
Male	No.	12,051	8,633	2,857	561
Female	No.	11,628	7,454	3,604	570
Total wages	\$	27,731,800	18,833,699	7,586,402	1,311,699
All Employees -					
Total	No.	25,498	17,336	6,982	1,180
Male	No.	13,146	9,396	3,160	590
Female	No.	12,352	7,940	3,822	590
Total salaries and wages	\$	32,284,527	21,953,804	8,931,206	1,399,517

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Table 8. - Power Installation in the Cotton Textile Industries, 1944

Classes of Power	Cotton Yarn		Cotton and Cotton		Miscel- laneous Cotton Textiles
	and Cloth	Cotton Thread	Wool Waste	Batting and Wadding	
Steam engines -					
Units	32	-	-	-	-
Horsepower capacity	4,618	-	-	-	-
Steam turbines -					
Units	9	-	-	-	-
Horsepower capacity	7,140	-	-	-	-
Diesel engines -					
Units	1	-	-	-	-
Horsepower capacity	640	-	-	-	-
Gasoline, gas and oil engines -					
Units	1	-	-	1	-
Horsepower capacity	7	-	-	5	-
Hydraulic turbines or water wheels -					
Units	9	-	-	-	-
Horsepower capacity	9,850	-	-	-	-
Electric motors, operated by purchased power -					
Units	15,493	562	139	184	395
Horsepower capacity	94,334	2,566	1,016	1,787	694
Total Power Used in Manufacturing -					
Units	15,545	562	139	185	395
Horsepower capacity	116,589	2,566	1,016	1,792	694
Electric motors, operated by power generated by the establishment -					
Units	1,760	-	-	-	-
Horsepower capacity	11,997	-	-	-	-
TOTAL ELECTRIC MOTORS -					
Units	17,256	562	139	184	395
Horsepower capacity	106,331	2,566	1,016	1,787	694
BOILER INSTALLATION -					
Units	74	2	4	4	-
Horsepower capacity	16,409	750	170	155	-

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Table 9. - Consumption of Fuel and Electricity in the Cotton Textile Industries, 1944

		Cotton Yarn and Cloth	Cotton thread	Cotton and Wool Waste	Cotton Batting and Wadding	Miscel- laneous Cotton Textiles,
Coal -						
Bituminous -						
Quantity	Ton	287,411	3,009	3,269	1,796	1,238
Value	\$	1,597,428	27,169	30,187	17,353	17,300
Anthracite -						
Quantity	Ton	83	-	569	-	48
Value	\$	938	-	5,068	-	726
Coke (for fuel only)						
Quantity	Ton	-	-	59	-	53
Value	\$	-	-	797	-	575
Gasoline (including gasoline used in cars and trucks) -						
Quantity	Imp. Gal.	48,260	-	14,837	7,545	3,883
Value	\$	14,177	-	4,896	2,529	1,179
Kerosene or coal oil -						
Quantity	Imp. Gal.	251	14	-	28	-
Value	\$	46	3	-	8	-
Fuel oil and diesel oil -						
Quantity	Imp. Gal.	77,436	-	-	200	-
Value	\$	7,150	-	-	100	-
Wood -						
Quantity	Cord	-	-	1	-	3
Value	\$	-	-	7	-	42
Gas -						
Manufactured -						
Quantity	M cu.ft.	25,406	230	-	1,256	1,646
Value	\$	2,746	254	-	1,054	1,560
Natural -						
Quantity	M cu.ft.	-	-	-	-	-
Value	\$	-	-	-	-	-
Other fuel -						
Value	\$	-	12,426	-	-	-
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TOTAL COST OF FUEL	\$	1,622,485	39,852	40,955	21,044	21,382

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Table 9. - Consumption of Fuel and Electricity in the Cotton Textile Industries, 1944 (Concl'd).

Kinds of fuel		Cotton Yarn and Cloth	Cotton Thread	Cotton and Wool Waste	Cotton Batting and Wadding	Miscel- laneous Cotton Textiles,
Electricity Purchased (in- cluding service charges)						
Quantity	Kw.h.	218,320,565	4,216,132	1,215,885	1,656,950	1,103,261
Value	\$	1,536,924	52,520	18,763	25,212	21,000
TOTAL COST OF FUEL AND ELECTRICITY	\$	3,159,409	92,372	59,718	46,256	42,382

SECTION 2. - THE COTTON YARN AND CLOTH INDUSTRY IN CANADA, 1944.

In 1944 reports were received from 41 establishments whose principal output consisted of woven cotton fabrics and cotton yarns. The gross value of production in the cotton yarn and cloth industry totalled \$116,707,311, a decrease of \$10,172,563 or 8.0 per cent. Employment was given to 21,900 persons, 1,626 or 6.9 per cent less than in the previous year, and salaries and wages paid, \$27,865,543, were lower by \$280,668 or 0.1 per cent. Materials used cost \$66,948,167, a decrease of \$13,715,123 or 17.0 per cent.

The provincial distribution of the forty establishments reporting in 1944 was: Quebec, sixteen; Ontario, twenty-two; New Brunswick, two; and Nova Scotia, one.

Fabrics of all kinds accounted for \$73,426,945 or 63 per cent of the total value of production. Grey cotton fabrics were produced to the extent of 63,437,015 pounds or 182,515,066 yards, valued at \$29,341,362. It may also be of interest to note that fabrics of continuous filament artificial silk and mixtures were produced to the extent of 9,854,271 yards valued at \$2,921,742. Production of fabrics of spun rayon, or mixtures of spun rayon, totalled 9,425,998 yards with a value of \$2,-703,323. Yarns spun for sale were valued at \$17,366,776.

The principal material used in this industry is raw cotton and 172,692,265 pounds were consumed in 1944. Cotton yarn used totalled 14,476,821 pounds valued at \$6,499,194. Of the grey cotton fabrics reported as produced in the industry, 20,-685,179 pounds or 80,790,102 yards valued at \$9,597,416 went to other mills for further processing into printed and dyed cotton fabric, etc. and re-appear as materials used.

For further details of production or materials used see Table 12 and 14.

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Table 10 - Principal Statistics, 1928 to 1944

Year and Provinces	Estab-lish-ments No.	Capital Invested \$	Em-ployees No.	Salaries and Wages \$	Cost of Materials Used \$	Gross Value of Production \$
1928 (x)	38	90,960,011	21,615	17,688,791	44,704,779	79,219,582
1929 (x)	36	95,542,319	20,221	16,671,787	43,133,575	78,241,765
1930	33	78,542,804	16,999	13,004,793	27,975,574	48,692,878
1932	35	72,504,504	15,092	11,684,979	19,158,046	38,555,370
1933	37	75,422,396	16,095	11,749,286	26,456,914	51,179,628
1934	36	75,889,237	18,106	13,768,278	33,132,480	61,306,490
1935	35	70,741,613	18,121	13,206,265	33,689,873	59,378,664
1936	35	71,564,646	17,910	14,218,231	37,042,911	65,635,365
1937	36	67,832,556	19,160	16,350,956	42,063,654	72,113,878
1938	37	60,862,966	18,049	14,659,317	29,902,346	57,055,615
1939	36	81,272,668	19,723	16,733,206	35,527,356	70,385,460
1940	37	87,578,818	23,616	23,110,839	53,958,165	103,389,868
1941	39	93,362,427	26,375	27,178,142	69,284,679	128,421,012
<u>1942</u>						
CANADA	40	91,398,489	25,796	29,304,427	80,629,998	141,899,520
Quebec	16	52,174,865	18,152	20,425,069	64,010,056	107,973,989
Other Provinces ...	24	39,223,624	7,644	8,879,358	16,619,942	33,925,531
<u>1943</u>						
CANADA	40	85,060,925	23,526	28,146,211	80,663,290	126,879,874
Quebec	16	47,376,429	16,622	19,907,475	62,545,536	95,568,886
Other Provinces ...	24	37,684,496	6,904	8,238,736	18,117,754	31,310,988
<u>1944</u>						
CANADA	41	Not	21,900	27,865,543	66,948,167	116,707,311
Quebec	16	Collected	15,230	19,559,841	51,675,282	87,587,072
Other Provinces ...	25	in 1944	6,670	8,305,702	15,272,885	29,120,239

(x) Includes oilcloths and linoleums.

Note: Profits or losses cannot be estimated from Census figures as no data are collected for certain expense items, such as interest, rent, depreciation, taxes, insurance, advertising, etc.

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Table 11. - Comparison of Principal Statistics, 1943 and 1944

Items		1 9 4 3	1 9 4 4	+ Increase - Decrease
Establishments reporting	No.	40	41	+ 1
Capital invested	\$	85,060,925	(Not collected)	
Employees on salaries -				
Total	No.	1,176	1,209	+ 33
Male	No.	666	687	+ 21
Female	No.	510	522	+ 12
Total salaries	\$	3,019,462	3,096,019	+ 76,557
Employees on wages -				
Monthly average	No.	22,350	20,691	- 1,659
Male.....	No.	12,057	11,203	- 854
Female	No.	10,293	9,488	- 805
Total wages	\$	25,126,749	24,769,524	- 357,225
Power equipment (1)				
Units	No.	14,701	15,545	+ 844
Horse-power capacity	H.P.	113,097	116,539	+ 3,492
Cost of fuel and electricity(2) \$		3,095,541	3,159,409	+ 63,868
Cost of materials used	\$	80,663,290	66,943,167	-13,715,123
Cross value of production ...	\$	126,879,874	116,707,311	-10,172,563

(1) For details of power equipment installed, see Table 8.

(2) For details of fuel and electricity consumed, see Table 9.

N.B. See Table 19 for details of mechanical equipment.

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Table 12. - Products Made by the Cotton Yarn and Cloth Industry, 1944

Principal Products	Quantity		Selling Value at
	Pounds	Lineal Yards	Factory
Fabrics -			\$
All Cotton -			
Grey (1)	63,437,015	182,515,066	29,341,362
Bleached	9,176,964	38,807,141	5,555,945
Printed and painted	16,911,430	74,655,392	12,292,715
Piece dyed	12,774,992	43,789,209	8,341,166
Yarn and stock dyed	11,853,952	31,501,906	6,288,998
Pillow cotton	499,133	1,259,675	272,808
Bed sheeting	4,353,848	6,558,295	2,241,575
Towelling	519,025	3,558,219	592,566
Cotton and Continuous filament artificial silk mixed	897,618	2,122,665	912,388
All artificial silk (continuous filament)	-	7,731,606	2,009,354
All spun rayon and mixtures	-	9,425,998	2,703,323
Narrow fabrics (12" and under) -			
Woven, elastic	134,974	2,727,111	158,228
Woven, non-elastic	647,000	8,959,898	511,629
Braided and other	27,182	3,610,342	160,441
Other Fabrics -			
Tapestries and other upholstering materials	1,226,006	1,546,181	972,967
Drapery, damask and other fabrics	-	2,696,993	1,071,480
TOTAL FABRICS	-	421,445,697	73,426,945
Woven Goods -			
Tire Fabrics	Pounds	20,461,061	11,264,503
Quilts, Bedspreads, etc. -			
All Cotton	Dozens	20,131	344,620
Other	"	3,836	82,590
Pillowslips and sheets	"	305,983	1,870,540
Towels -			
Terry	"	1,089,054	2,610,087
Plain and huck	"	252,547	420,902
Terry bath mats	"	1,604	14,903
Terry face cloths	"	531,339	296,595
Other Terry woven goods	-	-	106,078
Blankets -	(Pr.	1,793,032	2,891,770
All Cotton	(Lb.	5,335,204	
Cotton mixed	(Pr.	115,142	243,782
Other woven goods	(Lb.	400,967	
	number	16,386	17,731

(1) It should be noted that in 1944, a total of 80,790,102 yards of this grey cotton went to other mills for further processing.

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Table 12. - Products Made by the Cotton Yarn and Cloth Industry, 1944 (Concl'd)

Principal Products	Unit of Measure	Quantity	Selling Value at
		No.	Factory
Yarns spun for sale -			\$
All Cotton -			
Grey, knitting	Pound	11,524,158	4,112,599
" , other, singles	"	11,925,912	4,445,449
" , other, plied	"	10,101,060	4,424,058
Bleached, knitting	"	133,365	65,143
" , other	"	236,350	127,999
Coloured, knitting	"	2,527,353	1,201,653
" , other	"	2,879,482	1,560,397
All other	"	1,497,377	793,254
Cotton and Wool Mixed -			
Grey	"	334,536	244,429
Bleached and coloured	"	249,586	213,207
Spun rayon, including spun rayon mixtures	"	233,276	113,643
All other yarns	"	120,442	64,945
Wrapping twine	"	2,303,804	742,394
Other twines, lines, rope and cordage ...	"	3,010,956	1,283,309
Cotton waste sold	"	20,391,610	883,858
All other products	-	-	2,839,928
TOTAL ALL PRODUCTS	-	-	116,707,311

Table 13. - Total Yarns Spun, 1944

NOTE - Includes yarn spun for sale as given in Table 12 and yarn spun for use in the establishment reporting, or as custom work.

	Pounds			
	Under 20's	20 to 39's	40's and finer n.e.s.	
All cotton	119,272,112	45,550,781	3,642,272	-
Spun rayon (including spun rayon mixtures)	566,762	973,374	-	-
All other	745,690	764,032	-	656,169
TOTAL	120,591,564	45,288,187	3,642,272	656,169

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Table 14. - Materials Used, 1944

Principal Materials	Unit of Measure	Quantity	Cost Value at Factory
			\$
Fibres -			
Cotton raw	Pound	172,692,265	29,173,296
Cotton waste	"	6,641,310	821,508
Wool, raw, wool-tops, waste, etc.	"	402,330	353,321
Rayon staple fibre (Fibro, etc.)	"	1,941,512	574,769
All other fibres	"	-	463,685
Yarns, Canadian, not made by plant reporting -			
All cotton -			
Grey	"	10,976,933	4,249,434
Coloured	"	413,608	156,446
All other	"	6,279	4,383
Artificial silk (continuous filament)	"	3,250,159	2,106,855
Spun rayon (including spun rayon mixtures)	"	27,288	15,394
Other	"	1,407,089	1,067,584
Yarns, imported -			
All cotton -			
Grey and mercerized	"	22,629	37,517
Other	"	3,060,372	2,051,414
Fabrics, Canadian, not made by plant reporting -			
All cotton, grey			
	Pound	20,685,179)	9,597,416
	or yard	80,790,102)	
All artificial silk, grey and spun rayon .	Pound	1,569,036)	1,214,050
	or yard	6,928,085)	
Other	-	-	26,808
Fabrics, imported -			
All cotton, grey			
	Pound	10,926,930)	7,641,184
	or yard	42,855,489)	
Other	-	-	365,834
Thread, (cotton)	-	-	37,979
Starch and sizing materials	-	-	644,717
Chemicals and dyestuffs	-	-	3,436,287
Spools, tubes and cones of paper	-	-	116,256
All other materials and supplies	-	-	1,631,587
Processing and finishing by other mills	-	-	377,314
Packing and shipping materials	-	-	788,129
TOTAL	-	-	66,948,167

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Table 15. - Capital Invested, 1930 to 1944

Year and Provinces	Fixed Capital	Working Capital		Total Capital
	Present value of land, buildings, fixtures, machinery, tools, etc.	Inventory value of materials on hand, stocks in process, finished products, fuel and miscellaneous supplies, etc.	Cash, trading and operating accounts, etc.	
	\$	\$	\$	\$
1930	54,051,002	13,326,792	11,165,010	78,542,804
1931	51,639,848	10,801,450	11,581,881	74,023,179
1932	54,008,491	10,845,852	7,650,161	72,504,504
1933	50,862,223	11,027,690	13,532,483	75,422,396
1934	49,301,624	14,904,745	11,682,868	75,889,237
1935	49,400,184	13,819,222	7,522,207	70,741,613
1936	48,525,255	14,283,635	8,755,756	71,564,646
1937	44,923,075	13,907,063	9,002,418	67,832,556
1938	39,791,357	12,958,579	8,113,030	60,862,966
1939	54,400,946	14,051,272	12,820,450	81,272,668
1940	55,978,323	17,649,436	13,951,059	87,578,818
<u>1 9 4 1</u>				
CANADA	56,814,568	21,664,203	14,883,656	93,362,427
Quebec	27,118,915	14,280,513	10,056,714	51,456,142
Other Provinces	29,695,653	7,383,690	4,826,942	41,906,285
<u>1 9 4 2</u>				
CANADA	51,105,834	22,364,719	17,927,936	91,398,489
Quebec	24,945,891	14,041,633	13,187,341	52,174,865
Other Provinces	26,159,943	8,323,086	4,740,595	39,223,624
<u>1 9 4 3</u>				
CANADA	49,264,911	17,327,040	18,468,974	85,060,925
Quebec	22,961,802	12,475,556	11,939,071	47,376,429
Other Provinces	26,303,109	4,851,484	6,529,903	37,684,496
<u>1 9 4 4</u>				
CANADA	Information Not Collected			

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Table 16. - Employees by Sex and Remuneration, 1943 and 1944

		1 9 4 3	1 9 4 4
Salaried Employees -			
Total	No.	1,176	1,209
Male	No.	666	687
Female	No.	510	522
Total salaries	\$	3,019,462	3,096,019
Wage-earners -			
Monthly average	No.	22,350	20,691
Male	No.	12,057	11,203
Female	No.	10,293	9,488
Total wages	\$	25,126,749	24,769,524
All Employees -			
Total	No.	25,526	21,900
Male	No.	12,723	11,890
Female	No.	10,803	10,010
Total salaries and wages	\$	28,146,211	27,865,543

Table 17. - Monthly Employment of Wage-earners, 1942 to 1944

	1 9 4 2			1 9 4 3			1 9 4 4		
	Male No.	Female No.	Total No.	Male No.	Female No.	Total No.	Male No.	Female No.	Total No.
January	15,587	9,771	25,358	12,816	10,682	23,498	11,874	10,224	22,098
February	15,573	9,289	25,402	13,092	10,913	24,005	11,804	10,078	21,882
March	15,450	10,035	25,485	12,911	10,859	23,770	11,717	10,051	21,768
April	14,949	10,203	25,152	12,488	10,582	23,070	11,558	9,893	21,451
May	14,424	10,275	24,699	12,234	10,432	22,666	10,872	9,407	20,279
June	13,832	10,206	24,038	11,669	10,104	21,773	10,897	9,355	20,252
July	13,819	10,530	24,349	11,875	9,940	21,815	11,108	9,280	20,388
August	13,686	10,315	24,501	11,618	9,912	21,530	11,049	9,150	20,199
September ...	13,394	10,669	24,063	11,432	9,757	21,189	10,785	9,394	20,179
October	13,431	10,968	24,399	11,558	10,147	21,705	11,048	9,595	20,643
November	13,450	11,085	24,535	11,667	10,305	21,972	11,328	9,774	21,102
December	12,395	10,586	22,981	11,292	9,874	21,166	10,397	8,787	19,184
MONTHLY AVERAGE	14,166	10,413	24,579	12,057	10,293	22,350	11,203	9,488	20,691

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Table 18. - Number of Wage-earners with their Regular Hours of Work per Week and Average Weekly Earnings, 1943 and 1944.

Number of Hours Worked per Week	1 9 4 3		1 9 4 4	
	Male	Female	Male	Female
	No.	No.	No.	No.
30 hours or less	178	481	221	677
31 - 43 hours	157	491	218	552
44 hours	39	60	32	79
45 - 47 hours	119	314	183	384
48 hours	1,114	1,533	2,384	2,668
49 - 50 hours	8,982	6,395	7,066	5,234
51 - 54 hours	405	631	407	478
55 hours	1,064	898	851	424
56 - 64 hours	788	131	506	37
65 hours and over	292	65	234	-
Average hours per week	50.5	48.4	49.8	47.1
Average weekly earnings	\$25.49	\$17.34	\$26.83	\$18.08
Month of highest employment, overtime included.				

Table 19. - Machinery, Equipment and Spinning Hours, 1944

	Number	
Cards in place	4,376	
Spindles in place -		
Spinning (frame)	1,092,233	
Spinning (mule)	16,128	
Twisting and doubling	138,710	
Other (not specified)	4,214	
	Automatic	Non Automatic
	No.	No.
Looms in place -		
From 28 to 32 inches wide	348	83
From 33 to 36 inches wide	1,084	13
From 37 to 41 inches wide	7,052	8
From 42 to 46 inches wide	6,945	27
From 47 to 68 inches wide	2,787	164
From 69 to 90 inches wide	1,136	189
More than 90 inches wide	552	50
Total looms	19,904	534
Narrow fabric and mohair looms	126	
Jacquard machines in place on above looms	270	
Dobbies in place on above looms	683	
Possible spinning spindle hours for the year, estimated on a normal single shift basis -		
Mule	40,904,712	
Frame	2,910,215,376	
Actual spinning spindle hours during the year -		
Mule	54,483,110	
Frame	3,668,795,561	

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SECTION 3. - THE COTTON THREAD INDUSTRY IN CANADA, 1944

In 1944 reports were received from seven establishments whose chief output consisted of cotton thread. Five of these were located in Quebec and two in Ontario. These seven plants reported manufactured goods with a selling value at the factory of \$5,876,095. Employment was furnished to 905 persons who received \$1,084,570 in salaries and wages. Materials used cost \$3,381,739.

During 1944 the gross value of production in the cotton thread industry decreased to the extent of \$456,430 or 7.2 per cent and \$36,550 or 1.1 per cent less 1.1 was expended on materials. Employment decreased by 65 persons, or 6.7 per cent, and \$35,028 or 3.1 per cent less was paid out in salaries and wages.

Threads of cotton and artificial silk are the main items of production in this industry. In 1944 these were valued at \$5,854,743 compared with \$6,311,891 in 1943.

Yarns of cotton and artificial silk are the principal materials used. In 1944, 2,107,181 pounds worth \$2,877,778 were consumed, and in 1943 the consumption was 3,418,953 pounds costing \$2,815,754.

Table 20. - Principal Statistics, 1926 to 1944

Year	Estab- lish- ments No.	Capital Invested \$	Em- ployees No.	Salaries and Wages \$	Cost of Materials Used \$	Gross Value of Production \$
1926	5	4,154,658	774	686,858	2,360,350	4,538,217
1927	5	4,279,408	778	717,872	2,094,749	4,640,536
1928	5	4,357,721	752	688,355	1,969,340	4,464,981
1929	6	4,190,130	780	689,239	2,025,955	4,321,584
1930	7	4,214,075	696	638,915	1,577,661	3,816,868
1931	5	4,036,204	650	612,938	1,299,332	3,308,520
1932	5	3,375,702	648	596,037	1,110,383	3,186,524
1933	6	3,434,383	651	594,889	1,096,062	3,294,444
1934	5	2,901,875	613	635,849	1,545,885	3,809,408
1935	5	2,804,903	696	632,564	1,558,525	3,675,177
1936	5	2,930,430	774	739,227	1,502,341	3,411,208
1937	5	3,079,155	780	758,828	1,731,015	3,825,222
1938	5	3,264,560	748	725,555	1,515,279	3,521,296
1939	6	3,183,356	760	748,842	1,550,530	3,557,905
1940	5	4,023,103	848	867,452	2,259,283	4,721,302
1941	7	4,693,475	926	1,032,007	2,749,363	5,692,172
1942	7	4,494,842	933	1,099,682	3,172,384	6,182,178
1943	7	4,284,795	970	1,129,598	3,345,189	6,332,525
1944	7 (Not Collected)		905	1,094,570	3,381,739	5,876,095

Note: Profits or losses cannot be estimated from Census figures as no data are collected from certain expense items such as interest, rent, depreciation taxes, insurance, advertising, etc.

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Table 21. - Comparison of Principal Statistics, 1943 and 1944

Items	1 9 4 3	1 9 4 4	+ Increase - Decrease
Establishments reporting No.	7	7	-
Capital invested \$	4,284,795	Not Collected in 1944	
Employees on salaries -			
Total No.	186	173	- 13
Male No.	114	109	- 5
Female No.	72	64	- 8
Total salaries \$	390,748	401,991	+ 11,243
Employees on wages -			
Monthly average No.	784	732	- 52
Male No.	182	175	- 7
Female No.	602	557	- 45
Total wages \$	738,850	692,579	- 46,271
Power Equipment (1)			
Units No.	517	562	+ 45
Horse-power capacity H.P.	2,466	2,566	+ 100
Cost of fuel and electricity (2) \$	98,714	92,372	- 6,342
Cost of materials used \$	3,345,189	3,381,739	+ 36,550
Gross value of production \$	6,332,525	5,876,095	- 456,430

(1) For details of power equipment installed, see Table 8.

(2) For details of fuel and electricity consumed, see Table 9.

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Table 22. - Capital Invested 1930 to 1944.

Year	Fixed Capital	Working Capital		Total Capital
	Present value of land, buildings, fixtures, machinery tools, etc.	Inventory value of materials on hand, stocks in process, finished products fuel and miscellaneous supplies, etc.	Cash, trading and operating accounts, etc.	
	\$	\$	\$	\$
1930	1,733,783	1,478,505	1,001,787	4,214,075
1931	1,763,777	1,204,647	1,067,780	4,036,204
1932	1,090,577	1,043,384	1,241,741	3,375,702
1933	1,006,269	1,098,921	1,329,193	3,434,383
1934	1,028,241	1,225,322	648,312	2,901,875
1935	1,011,485	1,263,607	529,811	2,804,903
1936	1,114,494	1,296,972	518,964	2,930,430
1937	1,182,866	1,419,453	476,836	3,079,155
1938	1,207,958	1,598,422	458,180	3,264,560
1939	1,190,463	1,327,796	665,097	3,183,356
1940	1,131,127	1,973,389	918,587	4,023,103
1941	1,140,909	2,345,686	1,206,880	4,693,475
1942	1,073,791	2,467,528	953,523	4,494,842
1943	1,080,455	2,314,303	890,037	4,284,795
1944	Information Not Collected			

Table 23. - Employees by Sex and Remuneration, 1943 and 1944

Salaried Employees -

Total	No.	186	173
Male	No.	114	109
Female	No.	72	64
Total salaries	\$	390,748	401,991

Wage-earners -

Monthly average	No.	784	732
Male	No.	182	175
Female	No.	602	557
Total wages	\$	738,850	692,579

All Employees -

Total	No.	970	905
Male	No.	296	284
Female	No.	674	621
Total salaries and wages	\$	1,129,598	1,094,570

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Table 24. - Monthly Employment of Wage-earners, 1942 to 1944.

Months	1942			1943			1944		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
	No.								
January	207	562	769	196	582	778	182	589	771
February	190	535	725	189	599	788	178	580	758
March	187	553	740	193	610	803	175	584	759
April	186	535	721	190	609	799	172	586	758
May	182	538	720	181	606	787	172	553	725
June	183	543	726	188	613	801	174	548	722
July	174	540	713	180	601	781	170	527	697
August	175	573	748	178	627	805	165	533	698
September	173	560	734	178	611	789	168	533	701
October	178	572	750	173	599	772	168	551	719
November	185	567	752	173	590	763	193	560	753
December	188	567	755	175	584	759	188	537	725
MONTHLY AVERAGE	187	552	739	182	602	784	175	557	732

Table 25. - Number of Hours Worked by Wage-earners During one week together with Average Weekly earnings, 1943 and 1944.

Number of Hours Worked per Week	1943		1944	
	Male	Female	Male	Female
30 hours or less	11	50	9	67
31-43 hours	11	98	27	136
44 hours	13	22	2	12
45-47 hours	7	94	13	110
48 hours	38	130	37	141
49-50 hours	12	57	26	75
51-54 hours	20	60	26	30
55 hours	49	98	26	28
56-64 hours	31	11	17	3
65 hours and over	2	1	1	-
Average hours per week	50.2	45.9	48.1	43.3
Average weekly earnings	\$27.59	\$16.24	\$28.93	\$15.55

One week in month of highest employment, and overtime included.

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SECTION 4. - THE COTTON AND WOOL WASTE INDUSTRY IN CANADA, 1944

The twenty-five establishments reporting operations in the cotton and wool waste industry during 1944 recorded a gross value of production of \$5,631,031 which represented an increase of \$462,728 or 9.0 per cent as compared with the previous year. Employment increased by 15 to a total of 468 persons while the amount disbursed in salaries and wages, \$728,153 showed an increase of \$57,549. The cost of materials used rose to \$4,110,519, this figure being \$340,310 or 9.0 per cent above the cost in 1943.

Washed and sterilized rags and wipers was the principal single item of output in this industry and in 1944 these were produced to the extent of 14,636,931 pounds valued at \$2,563,359 as compared with 11,619,844 pounds valued at \$1,806,343 in 1943. Waste of cotton, wool, jute, etc. totalled 20,300,734 pounds worth \$2,543,990 in 1944 and 19,015,830 pounds valued at \$2,272,398 in 1943.

Under the heading, materials used, the consumption of waste of all kinds in 1944 was 21,176,692 pounds, costing \$1,946,406 compared with 20,386,125 pounds, worth \$1,785,132 in 1943. Wipers totalling 13,320,279 pounds worth \$1,284,359 were used in 1944 as against 14,086,159 pounds costing \$1,452,493 in 1943. Other materials used included mop yarns, rags and clippings, cheesecloth, etc.

Table 26. - Principal Statistics, 1926 to 1944

Year	Estab- lish- ments No.	Capital Invested \$	Em- ployees No.	Salaries and Wages \$	Cost of Materials Used \$	Gross Value of Production \$
1926	8	1,192,898	270	261,004	1,830,029	2,390,198
1927	7	1,088,826	276	265,107	1,651,843	2,296,367
1928	7	1,148,423	311	312,145	1,914,879	2,585,246
1929	7	1,122,818	264	297,919	1,936,230	2,645,184
1930	7	1,041,227	186	176,934	1,143,574	1,494,501
1931	14	813,063	204	194,693	898,609	1,285,120
1932	13	709,452	208	169,994	618,521	1,038,824
1933	15	848,975	219	196,268	741,274	1,282,445
1934	17	943,816	282	231,768	1,032,216	1,654,517
1935	17	840,796	298	250,802	1,170,112	1,841,202
1936	16	825,562	288	255,283	1,092,236	1,675,772
1937	18	996,992	332	306,719	1,390,909	2,025,792
1938	18	1,061,159	327	287,888	1,075,554	1,785,861
1939	18	1,520,189	366	335,414	1,237,373	1,832,950
1940	17	1,456,989	336	303,504	1,410,257	2,110,957
1941	18	1,318,965	414	375,449	2,070,739	3,006,731
1942	28	1,913,252	454	594,487	3,664,104	4,915,544
1943	25	1,861,763	453	670,604	3,770,209	5,168,303
1944	25	(Not Collected)	468	728,153	4,110,519	5,631,031

Note: Profits or losses cannot be estimated from Census figures as no data are collected for certain expense items, such as interest, rent, depreciation, taxes, insurance, advertising, etc.

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Table 27. - Comparison of Principal Statistics, 1943 and 1944

Items		1 9 4 3	1 9 4 4	+ Increase - Decrease
Establishments reporting	No.	25	25	-
Capital invested	\$	1,861,765	Not Collected	
Employees on salaries -				
Total	No.	92	96	+ 4
Male	No.	62	64	+ 2
Female	No.	30	32	+ 2
Total salaries	\$	259,113	282,052	+ 22,939
Employees on wages -				
Monthly average	No.	361	372	+ 11
Male	No.	190	189	- 1
Female	No.	171	183	+ 12
Total wages	\$	411,491	446,101	+ 34,610
Power equipment (1) -				
Units	No.	153	159	- 14
Horse-power capacity	H.P.	1,047	1,016	- 31
Cost of fuel and electricity (2)	\$	59,791	59,718	- 73
Cost of materials used	\$	3,770,209	4,110,519	+ 340,310
Gross value of production	\$	5,168,303	5,631,051	+ 462,728

(1) For details of power equipment installed, see Table 8.

(2) For details of fuel and electricity consumed, see Table 9.

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Table 28. - Capital Invested, 1930 to 1944

Year	Fixed Capital		Working Capital	Total Capital
	Present value of land, buildings, fixtures, machinery, tools, etc.	Inventory value of materials on hand, stocks in process, finished products, fuel and miscellaneous supplies, etc.	Cash, trading and operating accounts, etc.	
	\$	\$	\$	\$
1930	498,133	360,056	183,038	1,041,227
1931	407,800	303,752	101,511	813,063
1932	381,851	236,500	91,101	709,452
1933	464,822	249,962	134,191	848,975
1934	489,625	314,297	139,894	943,816
1935	398,947	285,733	156,116	840,796
1936	363,987	334,089	127,486	825,562
1937	437,899	375,084	184,009	996,992
1938	457,743	425,944	177,472	1,061,159
1939	480,060	459,227	580,902	1,520,189
1940	482,361	462,795	511,833	1,456,989
1941	514,424	442,312	362,229	1,318,965
1942	634,146	764,040	515,066	1,913,252
1943	604,818	738,087	518,858	1,861,763
1944	Information Not Collected			

Table 29. - Employees by Sex and Remuneration, 1943 and 1944

		1943	1944
Salaried Employees -			
Total	No.	92	96
Male	No.	62	64
Female	No.	30	32
Total salaries	\$	259,113	282,052
Wage-earners -			
Monthly average	No.	361	372
Male	No.	190	189
Female	No.	171	183
Total wages	\$	411,491	446,101
All Employees -			
Total	No.	453	468
Male	No.	252	253
Female	No.	201	215
Total salaries and wages	\$	670,604	728,153

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Table 30. - Monthly Employment of Wage-earners, 1942 to 1944

Months	1 9 4 2			1 9 4 3			1 9 4 4		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
January	201	171	372	196	153	349	209	203	412
February	197	166	363	191	150	341	214	203	417
March	199	169	368	199	162	361	196	182	378
April	198	165	363	193	164	357	187	183	370
May	202	179	381	191	165	356	177	174	351
June	201	177	378	195	164	359	182	185	367
July	196	190	386	188	178	366	184	169	353
August	190	189	379	178	175	353	181	177	358
September	187	183	370	182	177	359	172	172	344
October	185	185	370	187	181	368	178	177	355
November	193	177	370	198	192	390	187	174	361
December	191	175	366	192	186	378	199	180	379
MONTHLY AVERAGE	194	178	372	190	171	361	189	183	372

Table 31. - Number of Wage-earners with their regular Hours of Work per Week and Average Weekly Earnings, 1943 and 1944

Number of Hours Worked per Week	1 9 4 3		1 9 4 4	
	Male	Female	Male	Female
	No.	No.	No.	No.
30 hours or less	14	36	12	19
31-43 hours	30	82	23	86
44 hours	8	12	18	14
45-47 hours	10	27	16	53
48 hours	7	6	18	4
49-50 hours	25	18	43	16
51-54 hours	36	5	13	2
55 hours	32	1	44	2
56-64 hours	35	6	37	1
65 hours and over	17	-	1	-
Average hours per week	50.4	39.1	49.2	40.5
Average weekly earnings	\$25.22	\$14.48	\$26.94	\$17.02

Month of highest employment, overtime included.

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SECTION 5. - THE COTTON BATTING AND WADDING INDUSTRY IN CANADA, 1944

The four establishments reporting their operations in the batting and wadding industry in 1944 had a gross value of production of \$2,928,359, an increase of \$75,870 or 2.7 per cent as compared with the previous year. Employment was provided for 362 persons, 53 persons or 17.2 per cent more than in 1943, and the combined salaries and wages paid, \$590,475 were greater by \$90,680 or 18.1 per cent. The cost of all materials used rose by \$142,015 or 8.4 per cent.

For details of products and materials used, see tables 4 and 5.

October was the month of highest employment with 375 wage-earners reported, while June represented the low with 250 wage-earners.

Table 32. - Principal Statistics, 1926 to 1944

Year	Estab-lish-ments	Capital Invested	Em-ployees	Salaries and Wages	Cost of Materials Used	Gross Value of Production
	No.	\$	No.	\$	\$	\$
1926	8	2,461,898	320	358,662	1,218,331	2,404,251
1927	8	2,885,031	349	421,558	1,522,462	3,095,304
1928	8	2,822,676	311	427,201	1,734,335	3,197,649
1929	8	2,765,650	305	418,265	1,623,288	2,711,855
1930	8	2,665,952	270	347,126	1,447,880	2,934,695
1931	6	1,366,925	125	156,719	402,152	721,782
1932	6	1,297,062	119	149,488	279,338	590,933
1933	5	1,218,962	118	133,751	265,356	528,988
1934	5	1,244,565	130	149,055	376,761	729,294
1935	5	1,231,907	145	176,809	489,855	889,664
1936	5	1,298,859	147	182,532	599,899	962,787
1937	4	1,412,376	163	218,679	669,840	1,078,259
1938	4	1,379,007	148	199,750	566,956	1,017,054
1939	4	1,472,707	161	227,691	530,913	937,061
1940	4	1,730,963	223	299,717	803,324	1,406,173
1941	4	1,815,141	262	371,566	1,113,819	1,929,867
1942	5	1,621,554	285	433,731	1,439,852	2,668,340
1943	4	1,477,355	309	499,795	1,687,955	2,852,489
1944	4	-	362	590,475	1,829,970	2,928,359

Note: Profits or losses cannot be estimated from Census figures as no data are collected for certain expense items, such as interest, rent, depreciation, taxes, insurance, advertising, etc.

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Table 55. - Comparison of Principal Statistics, 1943 and 1944

Items	1943	1944	+ Increase - Decrease
Establishments reporting No.	4	4	-
Capital invested \$	1,477,355	(Not Collected)	
Employees on salaries -			
Total No.	45	49	+ 4
Male No.	35	40	+ 5
Female No.	10	9	- 1
Total salaries \$	132,802	150,731	+ 17,929
Employees or wages -			
Monthly average No.	264	313	+ 49
Male No.	168	177	+ 9
Female No.	96	136	+ 40
Total wages \$	366,995	459,744	+ 72,751
Power equipment (1) -			
Units No.	173	185	+ 12
Horse-power capacity H.P.	1,712	1,792	+ 80
Cost of fuel and electricity (2) .. \$	43,075	46,256	+ 3,181
Cost of materials used \$	1,687,955	1,829,970	+142,015
Gross value of production \$	2,852,489	2,928,359	+ 75,870

(1) For details of power equipment installed, see Table 8.

(2) For details of fuel and electricity consumed, see Table 9.

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Table 34. - Capital Invested, 1930 to 1944

Year	Fixed Capital	Working Capital		Total Capital
	Present value of land, buildings, fixtures, machinery, tools, etc.	Inventory value of materials on hand, stocks in process, finished products, fuel and miscellaneous supplies, etc.	Cash, trading and operating accounts, etc.	
	\$	\$	\$	\$
1930	1,195,465	669,014	801,473	2,665,952
1931	798,957	348,830	219,138	1,366,925
1932	783,906	323,875	189,281	1,297,062
1933	763,129	304,874	150,959	1,218,962
1934	743,688	332,410	168,467	1,244,565
1935	776,623	276,985	178,299	1,231,907
1936	801,553	344,315	152,991	1,298,859
1937	825,371	399,560	187,445	1,412,376
1938	879,916	339,566	159,525	1,379,007
1939	905,959	369,168	197,580	1,472,707
1940	1,013,988	447,083	269,892	1,730,963
1941	968,238	477,420	369,483	1,815,141
1942	861,615	401,003	358,936	1,621,554
1943	851,757	326,112	299,486	1,477,355
1944	Information Not Collected			

Table 35. - Employees by Sex and Remuneration, 1943 and 1944

		1943	1944
Salaried Employees -			
Total	No.	45	49
Male	No.	35	40
Female	No.	10	9
Total salaries	\$	132,802	150,731
Wage-earners -			
Monthly average	No.	264	313
Male	No.	168	177
Female	No.	96	136
Total wages	\$	366,993	439,744
All Employees -			
Total	No.	309	362
Male	No.	203	217
Female	No.	106	145
Total salaries and wages	\$	499,795	590,475

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Table 36. - Monthly Employment of Wage-earners, 1942 to 1944

Months	1942			1943			1944		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
January	182	44	226	185	70	255	184	110	294
February	189	38	227	196	80	276	177	112	289
March	185	40	225	196	78	274	176	88	264
April	178	37	215	185	86	271	176	106	282
May	185	44	229	169	124	293	172	105	277
June	181	50	231	161	122	283	152	98	250
July	216	68	284	156	118	274	176	126	302
August	209	74	283	147	44	191	173	166	339
September	194	67	261	147	104	251	181	179	360
October	190	66	256	152	105	257	173	202	375
November	188	71	259	163	110	273	186	185	371
December	185	73	258	157	110	267	179	160	339
MONTHLY AVERAGE.	191	56	247	168	96	264	177	136	313

Table 37. - Number of Wage-earners with their Regular Hours of Work per week and Average Weekly Earnings, 1943 and 1944

Number of Hours Worked per Week	1943		1944	
	Male	Female	Male	Female
	No.	No.	No.	No.
30 Hours or less	20	7	20	25
31-43 hours	15	30	19	58
44 hours	2	8	1	26
45-47 hours	23	15	18	33
48 hours	28	47	8	23
49-50 hours	15	6	13	9
51-54 hours	26	1	26	14
55 hours	19	1	17	7
56-64 hours	39	6	46	8
65 hours and over	10	-	21	-
Average hours per week.	49.4	44.1	51.0	42.3
Average weekly earnings	\$26.66	\$23.60	\$30.81	23.38

Month of highest employment, overtime included.

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SECTION 6. - MISCELLANEOUS COTTON GOODS INDUSTRY IN CANADA, 1944

In this section of the cotton textile industries are grouped all establishments using basic raw materials of which cotton is the chief component, and which cannot properly be classified in other sections.

The gross value of production reported by the 85 establishments classified under miscellaneous cotton goods in 1944 was \$8,917,048, an increase of \$250,419 or 2.7 per cent as compared with 1943. The cost of materials used rose by \$169,655 or 3.3 per cent to a total of \$5,375,811. Employment was given to 1863 persons, 45 persons or 2.5 per cent more than in 1943 and the payroll increased by \$121,064 or 6.6 per cent, the total so disbursed in 1944 being \$2,005,786.

Fifty-one of the eighty-five establishments reporting were located in Quebec, thirty-two in Ontario, one in Manitoba and one in British Columbia. The total number reporting was four more than in the previous year.

While the articles produced in this industry are many and diversified, very few of them can be shown without divulging information concerning the operation of less than three establishments. The principal items were tailors' supplies, \$1,933,-508 bedspreads, all kinds, \$1,564,959, comforters, all kinds, \$698,586, curtains and curtain materials, \$1,478,752 and pillows and cushions, all kinds, \$254,855. Other items manufactured were: aprons, gaiters and spats, garters and suspenders, mattress, table and furniture covers, garment and shopping bags, powder puffs, muff beds, processing of cheesecloth, etc.

The principal material used was fabrics, cotton and other, \$4,133,450. Other materials were: cotton and other yarns, thread, cotton waste, wool, wadding, shoddy and batts, kapok, tapes, bindings, fringes, etc., elastic, feathers and down, chemicals and compounds, etc.

The month of highest employment of wage-earners in 1944 was November when 1684 wage-earners were reported. January with 1455 was the lowest.

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Table 58. - Principal Statistics, 1926 to 1944

Year and Provinces	Estab- lish- ments No.	Capital Invested \$	Em- ployees No.	Salaries and Wages \$	Cost of Materials Used \$	Gross Value of Production \$
1926	16	878,754	323	280,982	985,746	1,524,106
1927	18	1,048,250	389	316,157	1,099,254	1,697,273
1928	21	1,163,468	460	364,915	1,231,922	2,013,074
1929	23	1,364,130	517	472,976	1,261,764	2,159,568
1930	22	1,125,649	439	394,181	943,511	1,648,424
1931	34	1,943,741	796	661,608	1,379,166	2,535,087
1932	36	1,898,602	751	560,679	1,022,608	1,979,361
1933	41	1,695,476	804	547,535	1,230,342	2,175,277
1934	41	2,091,590	898	622,401	1,602,028	2,776,271
1935	44	2,285,660	988	764,972	1,707,133	3,132,642
1936	45	2,991,132	1,105	860,857	2,075,735	3,728,057
1937	48	3,107,954	1,225	942,852	2,389,533	4,317,370
1938	45	3,209,898	1,172	922,338	2,173,819	3,827,356
1939	46	3,172,260	1,350	1,075,292	2,530,828	4,516,322
1940	45	2,633,884	994	781,485	2,544,848	3,930,767
1941	52	3,852,259	1,623	1,424,719	4,529,384	7,070,450
<u>1942</u>						
CANADA	75	4,533,265	1,926	1,772,177	5,648,558	8,782,916
Quebec	45	2,236,930	1,051	921,362	3,179,761	4,773,234
Ontario	27	2,247,139	851	828,060	2,444,738	3,951,136
Manitoba and British Columbia	3	49,196	24	22,755	24,059	58,546
<u>1943</u>						
CANADA	81	4,481,545	1,818	1,884,722	5,204,156	8,686,629
Quebec	49	2,351,085	1,087	1,099,946	3,237,015	5,211,900
Ontario	29	2,105,446	704	763,352	1,932,202	3,413,507
Manitoba and British Columbia	3	27,014	27	21,424	34,939	61,222
<u>1944</u>						
CANADA	85	Not	1,863	2,005,786	5,373,811	8,917,048
Quebec	51	Collected	1,157	1,206,555	3,359,850	5,478,364
Ontario	32	In	682	774,160	1,985,105	3,352,106
Manitoba and British Columbia	2	1944	24	25,071	28,856	86,578

Note: Profits or losses cannot be estimated from Census figures as no data are collected for certain expense items, such as interest, rent, depreciation, taxes, insurance, advertising, etc.

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Table 39. - Comparison of Principal Statistics, 1943 and 1944

Items	1943	1944	+Increase -Decrease
Establishments reporting No.	81	85	+ 4
Capital invested \$	4,481,545	Not Collected	
Employees on salaries -			
Total No.	323	292	- 31
Male No.	215	195	- 20
Female No.	108	97	- 11
Total salaries \$	649,516	621,934	- 27,582
Employees on wages -			
Monthly average No.	1,495	1,571	+ 76
Male No.	282	307	+ 25
Female No.	1,213	1,264	+ 51
Total wages \$	1,235,406	1,383,852	+ 148,446
Power equipment (1) -			
Units No.	396	395	- 1
Horse-power capacity H.P.	733	694	- 39
Cost of fuel and electricity (2) \$	33,032	42,382	+ 9,350
Cost of materials used \$	5,204,156	5,373,811	+ 169,655
Gross value of production \$	8,686,629	8,917,048	+ 230,419

(1) For details of power equipment installed, see Table 8.

(2) For details of fuel and electricity consumed, see Table 9.

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Table 40. - Capital Invested, 1930 to 1944

Year and Provinces	Fixed Capital	Working Capital		Total Capital
	Present value of land, buildings, fixtures, machinery, tools, etc.	Inventory value of materials on hand, stocks in process, finished products, fuel and miscellaneous supplies, etc.	Cash, trading and operating accounts, etc.	
	\$	\$	\$	\$
1930	539,160	368,816	417,678	1,125,649
1931	808,949	505,722	629,070	1,943,741
1932	749,734	574,162	574,706	1,898,602
1933	691,489	449,151	554,836	1,695,476
1934	842,364	516,632	732,594	2,091,590
1935	1,152,901	401,369	729,390	2,283,660
1936	1,565,745	630,553	796,834	2,991,132
1937	1,592,328	724,260	791,368	3,107,954
1938	1,445,963	795,302	970,633	3,209,898
1939	1,203,369	981,928	1,006,963	3,172,260
1940	816,791	950,239	866,854	2,633,884
<u>1941</u>				
CANADA	1,247,970	1,212,537	1,391,752	3,852,259
Quebec	431,139	514,850	631,212	1,577,201
Ontario	803,182	672,235	743,626	2,219,043
Manitoba and British Columbia	13,649	25,452	16,914	56,015
<u>1942</u>				
CANADA	1,475,964	1,628,784	1,428,517	4,533,265
Quebec	705,122	818,059	715,749	2,236,930
Ontario	762,988	785,827	698,324	2,247,139
Manitoba and British Columbia	9,854	24,898	14,444	49,196
<u>1943</u>				
CANADA	1,412,292	1,641,130	1,428,123	4,481,545
Quebec	731,237	890,842	729,006	2,351,085
Ontario	675,532	742,473	687,441	2,103,446
Manitoba and British Columbia	7,523	7,815	11,676	27,014
<u>1944</u>				
Information Not Collected				

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Table 41. - Monthly Employment of Wage-earners, 1942 to 1944

Months	1 9 4 2			1 9 4 3			1 9 4 4		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
January	323	1,183	1,506	270	1,285	1,555	287	1,168	1,455
February	321	1,225	1,546	270	1,271	1,541	298	1,221	1,519
March	329	1,246	1,575	286	1,248	1,534	298	1,284	1,582
April	348	1,273	1,621	283	1,228	1,511	297	1,245	1,542
May	340	1,500	1,640	279	1,235	1,514	304	1,247	1,551
June	351	1,263	1,614	280	1,200	1,480	304	1,283	1,587
July	377	1,268	1,645	282	1,092	1,374	299	1,210	1,509
August	369	1,298	1,667	284	1,138	1,422	290	1,215	1,505
September	355	1,273	1,628	259	1,202	1,461	310	1,282	1,592
October	356	1,321	1,677	259	1,227	1,486	310	1,343	1,653
November	369	1,334	1,703	261	1,250	1,511	324	1,360	1,684
December	366	1,295	1,661	260	1,198	1,458	301	1,312	1,613
MONTHLY AVERAGE ...	358	1,275	1,651	282	1,213	1,495	307	1,264	1,571

Table 42. - Number of Wage-earners with their Regular Hours of Work per Week and Average Weekly Earnings, 1943 and 1944

Number of Hours Worked per Week	1 9 4 3		1 9 4 4	
	Male	Female	Male	Female
	No.	No.	No.	No.
30 hours or less	16	201	44	234
31-43 hours	34	350	57	476
44 hours	26	199	47	196
45-47 hours	68	210	57	184
48 hours	108	368	111	352
49-50 hours	22	40	16	36
51-54 hours	9	11	9	23
55 hours	1	-	2	-
56-64 hours	12	4	10	-
65 hours and over	2	-	2	-
Average hours per week	45.6	41.1	43.2	40.5
Average weekly earnings	\$22.75	\$15.66	\$24.35	\$16.21

Month of highest employment, overtime included.

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Table 43. - Imports of raw cotton, yarns, piece goods, etc.
(not including Wearing Apparel) - 1943-1944.

Items	Unit of Measure	1 9 4 3		1 9 4 4	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
		\$		\$	
Raw and Unmanufactured -					
Raw cotton	lb.	43,017,950	33,277,071	171,617,178	40,815,119
Cotton linters, n.o.p.	"	7,973,649	712,506	10,035,856	754,294
Cotton linters and cotton pulp for the manufacture of paper	"	257,023	25,557	190,884	17,357
Batts, batting and wadding of cotton	"	585,644	178,090	533,814	159,143
Carded cotton sliver, grey; cotton fibres, bleached or coloured, n.o.p.	"	270,023	74,487	443,880	122,558
Cotton pulp for the manu- facture of artificial silk yarns	"	823,238	85,052	404	38
Yarn, Thread, Cord and Twine -					
Yarns, cotton, singles, n.o.p.	"	848,834	438,277	305,813	182,489
Yarns, cotton, singles, for knitted goods	"	2,433,720	1,377,344	3,850,086	2,017,317
Thread, cotton, n.o.p.	"	215,240	273,462	144,618	179,748
Yarns, cotton, n.o.p.	"	2,294,760	1,451,484	831,129	579,641
Crochet and knitting cotton, n.o.p.	"	252,814	245,445	128,988	156,959
Cords and twines, cotton, n.o.p.	"	2,312,885	1,247,736	261,122	171,199
Sewing cotton thread, on spools	"	3,578	5,921	3,968	7,694
Cotton yarns, covered with metallic strip (tinsel thread)	"	14,315	16,757	22,312	33,485
Yarns, cotton, mercerized, 40's and finer	"	976,963	1,131,708	706,777	902,852
Yarns, cotton, in hanks, for thread and knitting and embroidery cottons ...	"	1,351,969	1,072,988	814,950	670,633
Yarns, cotton, 80's and finer, two-ply, gassed, of a class not made in Canada, for weaving	"	30,737	55,569	24,714	43,927
Yarns, cotton, 40's and finer, singles, for sewing thread	"	1,409,907	856,985	1,480,642	970,525
Yarns, cotton, 40's and finer, for mercerized cotton yarns	"	1,479,007	1,513,890	1,613,182	1,876,448

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Table 43. - Imports of raw cotton, yarns, piece goods, etc.
(not including Wearing Apparel), 1943 and 1944. - Continued.

Items	Unit of Measure	1 9 4 3		1 9 4 4	
		Quantity	Value \$	Quantity	Value \$
Yarn, Thread, Cord and Twine -					
Yarns, cotton, coarser than 40's but exceeding 20's, singles, for thread and knitting and embroidery cottons	lb.	330,333	192,971	400,511	231,116
Piece Goods -					
Woven fabrics, cotton, printed, dyed or coloured, n.o.p., va- lued at 50 cents or more, but not more than 80 cents per pound	lb.	8,755,296	11,045,284	8,342,048	11,725,217
Woven fabrics, cotton, printed, dyed or coloured, n.o.p., va- lued at 50 cents or more, but not more than 80 cents per pound	lb.	4,383,906	2,958,905	4,421,816	2,888,210
Woven fabrics, cotton, printed, dyed or coloured, n.o.p., va- lued at less than 50 cents per pound	lb.	1,170,097	434,470	201,929	77,612
Woven fabrics, cotton, denims, for garments	lb.	1,554,124	750,984	604,263	329,875
Woven fabrics, cotton, bleached, for handkerchiefs	-	-	31,367	-	86,483
Woven fabrics, cotton, not bleached, mercerized nor coloured, n.o.p.	lb.	34,908,920	17,683,667	29,537,897	15,953,570
Canton flannels, sheetings and pillow cotton; plain shirt- ings, cambrics, longcloths, nainsooks, flannelettes and saxonies, not coloured	lb.	1,797,003	1,369,066	2,955,192	2,612,010
Towelling in the web, not coloured	lb.	48,019	36,244	272,744	205,405
Voiles, scrims, lawns, India linens, muslins, fancy shirt- ings, piques, cords, diaper and jaconets; not coloured ...	lb.	271,609	294,054	256,446	390,239
Woven fabrics, cotton, bleached or mercerized, n.o.p., not coloured	lb.	1,888,629	1,727,860	1,310,507	1,270,747
Woven fabrics, cotton, of 100's and finer average yarn count .	lb.	5,395	9,605	1,107	1,512
Woven fabrics, cotton, with cut pile, n.o.p.	lb.	513,356	673,173	797,297	1,154,030

Table 43. - Imports of raw cotton, yarns, piece goods, etc.
(not including Wearing Apparel), 1943 and 1944. .. Continued.

Items	Unit of Measure	1 9 4 3		1 9 4 4	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			\$		\$
Piece Goods -					
Woven fabric, cotton, not coloured, for typewriter ribbons	-	-	160,584	-	135,434
Woven fabric, cotton, for billiard cloth	lb.	-	-	317	349
Sailcloth, Egyptian cotton, for sails	lb.	21	83	40	172
Filter cloth, cotton, with cut pile, in the web, or made up, for mining	lb.	313	261	2,845	1,776
Knitted fabric, cotton, for rubber boots	-	-	9,065	-	33,722
Shadow cretonnes, cotton	lb.	24,184	20,930	1,444	2,339
Gabardines, cotton	lb.	103,873	191,313	51,079	85,967
Fabrics with cut west pile, cotton, or of cotton and artificial silk	lb.	184,018	322,656	110,054	223,059
Woven fabric, cotton, for covering books	lb.	63,848	35,209	98,122	64,190
Lace and embroideries, cotton, not coloured, for clothing ..	-	-	393,057	-	415,738
Lace and embroideries, cotton, coloured, for clothing	lb.	22,316	88,091	20,533	93,916
Embroideries, cotton, n.o.p. ..	lb.	11,268	31,261	6,566	29,187
Lace, bobbinet, nets and net- ting, n.o.p., cotton	lb.	154,290	487,457	164,148	728,999
White cotton, bobbinet, plain, in the web	yd.	5,401	1,781	8,222	3,599
Manufactures, N.O.P. -					
Bags, cotton	lb.	124,219	81,709	90,295	106,586
Belting, cotton, for machinery	-	-	122,953	-	145,605
Blankets, cotton, not to in- clude automobile or steamer rugs nor similar articles ...	lb.	16,338	10,604	561,197	371,596
Boot, shoe, shirt and stay laces, cotton	lb.	1,739	2,231	3,361	7,590
Braided wick for sanctuary lamps, candles or tapers	-	-	21,019	-	24,549
Curtains, cotton, n.o.p.	lb.	15,734	31,786	3,615	8,239
Wash cloths and bath mats, cotton	lb.	608	619	128,843	147,293
Diapers, tray cloths, table cloths, napkins, dresser scarves, cotton	lb.	187,269	79,268	30,305	104,142

Table 43. - Imports of raw cotton, yarns, piece goods, etc.
(not including Wearing Apparel), 1943 and 1944 - Concluded.

Items	Unit of Measure	1 9 4 3		1 9 4 4	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			\$		\$
Manufactured, n.o.p. -					
Duck, seamless cotton, for hose pipe	-	-	577,905	-	167,175
Fringes and tassels, cotton .	lb.	12,060	17,234	7,013	10,492
Handkerchiefs, cotton	lb.	321,091	868,060	214,531	660,347
Ladder tapes and braided cords, for Venetian blinds .	-	-	43,667	-	59,625
Mantle stocking for gas light	-	-	7,468	-	-
Quilts and counterpanes, cotton	lb.	37,678	30,858	4,344	4,632
Pillow cases, cotton	lb.	14,377	22,246	126,921	130,381
Sheets, cotton	lb.	5,453	6,058	582,383	504,480
Towels, cotton	lb.	40,819	36,765	1,146,852	984,755
Cotton manufactures, n.o.p. .	lb.	601,699	620,894	489,369	465,531

Table 44. - Exports of cotton products
(not including Wearing Apparel), 1943 and 1944

Items	Unit of Measure	1 9 4 3		1 9 4 4	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			\$		\$
Cotton, waste	cwt.	936	7,559	2,070	28,385
Cotton duck	yd.	230,972	133,348	414,062	284,978
Cotton fabrics, n.o.p.	yd.	12,265,260	2,859,428	7,575,181	2,595,757

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MANUFACTURERS OF COTTON YARN AND CLOTH

NOVA SCOTIA

Cosmos Imperial Mills Limited Water Street, Yarmouth

NEW BRUNSWICK

Canadian Cottons, Limited Marysville
Cornwall & York Cotton Mills Co. Ltd. Albion Street, Saint John

QUEBEC

Drummondville Cotton Company, Ltd. Drummondville
Esmond Mills, Ltd., The 225 St. Charles Street, Granby
Acadian Bobinet Co. Ltd. 67 - 5th Ave., Iberville
Dominion Textile Company, Ltd. Magog
Dominion Textile Company, Ltd. Montmorency Falls
Dominion Textile Company, Ltd. 4790 St. Ambroise Street, Montreal
 (Colonial Branch)
Dominion Textile Company, Ltd. 3340 Notre Dame Street, E., Montreal
 (Hochelaga Branch)
Dominion Textile Company, Ltd. 3970 St. Ambroise Street, Montreal
 (Merchants Branch)
Dominion Textile Company, Ltd. 5524 St. Patrick Street, Montreal
 (Mount Royal Branch)
Dominion Textile Company, Ltd. 2618 Notre Dame Street, E., Montreal
 (St. Anns Branch)
Goodyear Cotton Co. of Canada, Ltd. St. Hyacinthe
Wabasso Cotton Company, Ltd. Shawinigan Falls
Dominion Textile Company, Ltd. Sherbrooke
 (Sherbrooke Branch)
Wabasso Cotton Company, Ltd. Three Rivers
 (Mercerizing Division)
Wabasso Cotton Company, Ltd. St. Maurice Street, Three Rivers
Montreal Cottons, Ltd. Dufferin Road, Valleyfield

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Canadian Cottons, Ltd. (Canada Mill) Cornwall
Canadian Cottons, Ltd. (Dundas Mill) Cornwall
Canadian Cottons, Ltd. (Stormont Mill) Cornwall
Powdrell and Alexander of Canada, Ltd. 425 Fourth Street W., Cornwall
Dominion Fabrics, Ltd. Dunnville
Grand Valley Textiles, Ltd. 120 Beverley Street, Galt
Stauffer-Dobbie, Ltd. Water Street North, Galt
Burrows' Textiles 47 Neeve St., Guelph
Canadian Cottons, Ltd. 429 James Street N., Hamilton
Cosmos Imperial Mills, Ltd. Sherman Street N., Hamilton
Glendale Spinning Mills, Ltd. Glendale Avenue, Hamilton
Hamilton Cotton Company, Ltd. 304 Mary Street N., Hamilton
Moodie, J. R. Company, Ltd. Cor. Wilson and Sanford Aves., Hamilton
Caldwell Linen Mills Limited Iroquois
Avalon Fabrics, Ltd. 500 Ontario Street, Stratford
Dominion Rubber Co. Ltd. (Textile Division) Kitchener

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MANUFACTURERS OF COTTON YARN AND CLOTH

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Curl Brothers Textiles (Canada)	393 Sorauren Avenue, Toronto
Dominion Yarns Limited	Welland
Fire Stone Textiles Ltd.	Woodstock
Talbot and Talbot	952 Queen St. West, Toronto
Trent Cotton Company, Ltd.	Trenton
Woods Manufacturing Co. Ltd., (Empire Cotton Division)	Welland

MANUFACTURERS OF COTTON THREAD

QUEBEC

Canadian Spool Cotton Company	421 Pie IX Boulevard, Montreal
Cotton Threads, Ltd.	1625 Delorimier Ave., Montreal
Independent Thread Mills	360 Recollet St., Montreal
Marlen Threads Limited	653 Craig St. W., Montreal
National Thread Limited	140 Laurier Ave., Sherbrooke

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Bell Thread Company, Ltd., The Eaton, The T., Company, Ltd.	Cor. Huron St. & Minto Ave., Hamilton 33-39 Teraulay Street, Toronto
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MANUFACTURERS OF COTTON AND WOOL WASTE AND WIPING RAGS

QUEBEC

Cotton Waste & Batt Co. Ltd.	736 Notre Dame St. West, Montreal
Dominion Sanitary Wiper Co. Ltd.	930 Brennan St., Montreal
H. Gray and Co. Ltd.	217 Common St. W., Montreal
J.E. Huard Wiping Products	522 Montfort St., Montreal
International Sanitary Wipers	162 King St., Montreal
Martin Cotton & Waste Mfg.	414 Champ de Mars St., Montreal
Montreal Cotton and Wool Waste Co. Ltd.	21 Nazareth St., Montreal
Standard Wiping Products Co.	40 Dalhousie St., Montreal

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The Brantford Wool Stock Co.	31 - 33 Jarvis St., Brantford
Stericloth Products Ltd.	143 Wellington St., Brantford
Flexo Cotton Products	1993 Clark Avenue, Niagara Falls
Acme Waste Mfg. Co.	482 Wellington St. W., Toronto
Canadian Sterilized Wiper Co.	53 - 55 Maria St., Toronto
The Casselman Co.	79 - 81 Portland St., Toronto
S. Godfrey Limited	49 Front St. E., Toronto
H. Hands & Company	640 Dufferin St., Toronto
E. Pullan Wipers and Waste Co. Ltd.	30 Erin St., Toronto
Scythes and Co. Ltd.	128 Sterling Road, Toronto 3
Wipers and Waste Products Ltd.	871 Old Weston Rd., Toronto
Windsor Wiping Cloth Co.	180 Mercer St., Windsor
Toronto Mill Stock Co. Ltd.	910 Queen St. W., Toronto 3

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J.F. Briggs	416, 4 St. N.E., Calgary
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MANUFACTURERS OF COTTON AND WOOL WASTE AND WIPING RAGS

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Birkeland Bros.	3573 Main Street, Vancouver
Imperial Wiping Rag Co.	250 Prior St., Vancouver
National Waste Mfg. Co. Ltd.	825 Powell St., Vancouver

MANUFACTURERS OF COTTON BATTING AND WADDING

QUEBEC

Dominion Wadding Company, Ltd.	120 Vinet Street, Montreal
London Waste Manufacturing Company	988-990 Clark Street, Montreal

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Bauers, Limited	187 King Street S., Waterloo
Windsor Bedding Company, Ltd.	1700 Langlois Avenue, Windsor

MANUFACTURERS OF MISCELLANEOUS COTTON TEXTILES

QUEBEC

Canadian Knitting Mills	1449 St. Alexander St., Montreal
Art Linen Mfg. Ltd.	4067 St. Lawrence Blvd., Montreal
Artistic Lamp Shade Mfg. Co. Ltd.	4462 Mentana St., Montreal
Atlas Screen & Stenciling Mfg. Co. Ltd.	24 Fairmont St. West, Montreal
Beauchamp, Wann Limited	973 St. Antoine, Montreal
Ber - Sar Manufacturing Company	298 Craig Street West, Montreal
Brownstein Bros.	5656 Clarke St., Montreal
Canada Muff Bed Co.	3609 St. Lawrence Blvd., Montreal
Canada Pad and Spinging Inc.	460 St. Catherine St. W., Montreal
Canada Tufting Co.	2118 Bleury St., Montreal
Chenille Mfg. Co.	3615 St. Catherine St. E., Montreal
Chicopee Mfg. Co. of Canada Ltd.	2155 Pius IX Blvd., Montreal
Classic Curtain Mfg. Co. Ltd.	7140 Alexander St., Montreal
Converters Limited	1726 Poupart St., Montreal
Coronet Handbag Inc.	366 Mayor, Montreal
Crescent Comforter Mfg. Co.	1031 Bleury St., Montreal
Decorative Linens Mfg. Co. Ltd.	282 Ontario W., Montreal
De Luxe Comforter Mfg. Co.	4156 St. Lawrence Blvd., Montreal
Duroform Shoulder Pad Corp.	961 Inspector St., Montreal
Empire Buff Company	75 Vitre St. West, Montreal
Excellent Pad Co. Ltd.	699 St. Maurice St., Montreal
Fast Nap Co. of Canada Inc.	4067 St. Lawrence Blvd., Montreal
Gaby Muff Bed Mfg. Co.	3609 St. Lawrence Blvd., Montreal
Solomon Heitner & Sons Inc.	3814 St. Lawrence Blvd., Montreal
Ideal Perfect Pad Limited	961 Inspector St., Montreal
Ideal Spread Co.	4389 St. Lawrence Blvd., Montreal
Imperial Muff Bed & Products Reg'd.	1061 Bleury, Montreal
Imperial Quilt Mfg. Co.	3525 St. Lawrence Blvd., Montreal
Independent Spread Co.	690 Notre Dame West, Montreal
International Felt Mfg. Co.	3618 St. Lawrence Blvd., Montreal
Kantorowicz & Levy	400 St. James W., Montreal

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MANUFACTURERS OF MISCELLANEOUS COTTON TEXTILES

QUEBEC - (Concluded)

Wilfrid Laframboise	808 Mistral, Montreal
Alphonse Lambert	582 Des Ormeaux, Montreal
Lewis Cooper & Co.	1449 St. Alexander St., Montreal
H. Lewis Mfg. Co.	10 Ontario West, Montreal
National Cottons	736 Notre Dame St. W., Montreal
M. S. Novelty Bag Co.	4249 St. Lawrence Blvd., Montreal
Novelty Quilting Ltd.	1027 St. George Street, Montreal
A. Miller Reg'd.	205 Vitre St. W., Montreal
The Montreal Feather and Down Co.	809 William Street, Montreal
Montreal, Quilting Co. Ltd.	524 Guy St., Montreal
Montreal Tufting Manufacturing Co.	3891 St. Lawrence Blvd., Montreal
Overseas Textiles Limited	380 Craig W., Montreal
Parkdale Limited	3510 St. Lawrence Blvd., Montreal
Perfect Spread Co.	4150 St. Lawrence Blvd., Montreal
Reliable Pad Co. Reg'd	1415 St. Urbain Street, Montreal
Superior Leathergoods Co.	904 St. Lawrence Blvd., Montreal
Unique Novelties Reg'd.	359 St. James W., Montreal
Velva - Craft	292 Craig St. W., Montreal
Williams Textiles Incorporated	450 St. Peter, Montreal
Wood Gordon P.	1470 Peel St., Montreal

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