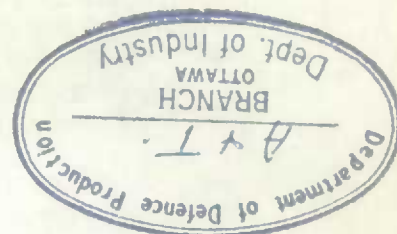


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SECTION I

General Review of the Group as a Whole

In 1953 the value of factory shipments f.o.b. plant was collected in place of gross value of production for the four industries which comprise the wool textile industry. This change was in line with the Bureau's decision to convert the basis of its manufacturing survey from one of production to one of factory shipments. The changeover is expected to ease the burden of reporting for most plants, to speed up the collection and compilation of data, and to make available more meaningful statistics. The conversion was effected over a two-year period, 1952 and 1953, with the change being made in the majority of industries in the first year.

This first section of the report presents the statistics of the wool group as a whole. The four other sections which follow deal separately with the industries covered by this report, namely; the wool cloth industry, the wool yarn industry, the carpet, mat and rug industry, and the miscellaneous wool goods industry. The developments within these industries are noted in their respective sections and a list of the firms reporting to each industry will be found at the end of the report.

The factory shipments made by the wool textile industries in the year under review had a value f.o.b. plant of \$142,868,776. The inventories of finished goods held by the group in plants and plant warehouses were valued at \$12,879,000 at the end of 1953 compared with \$10,354,000 at the end of 1952. Taking into consideration this \$2,525,000 increase in inventory results in an estimated gross value of production of \$145,393,776, which amount represents a decline of 3.7 per cent from the preceding year's \$150,935,470. Employment was narrowly lower whereas salary and wage payments were slightly ahead. The payroll listed 15,206 persons in 1953 compared with 15,276 in 1952 and the sums of \$37,946,504 and \$37,262,397 were paid in salaries and wages in the respective years. A fall in material costs from \$85,285,954 to \$83,322,444 accompanied the fall in the gross value of production.

One industry alone was responsible for the lower level of activity of the group in 1953 as compared with 1952. The wool cloth industry reported reduced employment and a substantial fall in value of production. The other three members of the wool group all managed to increase both production and employment but the gains, combined, were not large enough to offset the losses suffered by the wool cloth industry. The level of operations in all four

sections was, however, quite considerably below the peak attained in 1951.

Woven suitings, dress goods, overcoatings and cloakings, which together represent the wool industry's most important line of production, were chiefly responsible for the diminished sales volume. Factory shipments of these commodities in 1953 amounted to 28,071,596 square yards valued at \$46,730,502 compared with the 27,096,657 square yards worth \$56,598,638 produced in 1952. Woollen and worsted sales yarns were shipped to the extent of 15,591,685 pounds worth \$31,803,602 as against the production of 16,571,313 pounds worth \$31,600,441 in the previous year. The value of carpets, mats and rugs at \$13,478,661 was ahead of the \$12,437,476 reported in 1952 while figures for felts, all kinds, were little different for the two years, being \$13,965,297 in 1953 and \$13,635,342 in 1952. Further product detail is to be found in Table 4.

The trend in recent years toward the displacement of imported wool by domestic as a material continued in the year under review, particularly in the coarser grades. Canadian grown wool consumption (clean basis) increased from 4,258,416 pounds in 1952 to 4,534,698 pounds in 1953 while the consumption of imported wool fell from 21,004,569 pounds to 19,973,046 pounds. Wool tops used by the industry showed an increase from 10,040,568 pounds in 1952 to 10,900,478 pounds in 1953. The use of purchased worsted yarns, oil and dry spun, increased to 4,485,694 pounds from the 3,837,231 pounds reported the previous year. Further information on material consumption may be had by referring to Table 7.

Imports of raw wool, yarns and warps, piece goods, etc., exclusive of wearing apparel, rose from a value of \$73,435,269 in 1952 to \$103,349,520 in 1953. Almost half of the \$30 million advance came from a rise in "raw and unmanufactured" wool importations from \$28,795,270 to \$42,661,031. This increase was due partly to a larger volume of imports and partly to a firming in wool prices from the low levels to which they had fallen in 1952. Larger quantities of each product comprised in the "raw and unmanufactured" classification were imported, the greatest increase being recorded by wool tops with imports of 12,736,799 pounds valued at \$19,714,358 in 1953 compared to 7,376,070 pounds valued at \$10,323,495 in 1952. Imports of piece goods amounted to \$41,746,068 as against

\$32,212,136 a year earlier. Most of the increase here was due to a jump in worsted and serges from 6,858,471 pounds worth \$24,430,437 in 1952 to 9,068,738 pounds worth \$31,423,479 in 1953. A substantial increase took place also in carpet and rug imports which rose from 14,254,519 square feet worth \$7,772,856 to 21,895,737 square feet worth \$11,397,549. Exports of raw wool, fabrics, carpets, etc., excluding wearing apparel, advanced to \$4,481,747 in 1953 from \$3,257,338 in 1952. Further

particulars of imports and exports may be obtained from Tables 9 and 10 of this Report.

According to Table 13, investment by the wool textile industries in 1953 was higher than in the two preceding years. Capital, repair and maintenance expenditures totalled \$7.1 million in the year under review. Of this amount \$1.8 million went for construction while \$5.3 million was spent on machinery and equipment.

TABLE 1. Location of Mills in the Wool Textile Group of Industries, 1952 and 1953

Provinces	Wool cloth mills		Wool yarn mills		Carpets, mats and rugs		Wool goods n.e.s. ¹		All wool textile mills	
	1952	1953	1952	1953	1952	1953	1952	1953	1952	1953
	Number									
Canada	81	82	51	48	21	20	39	37	192	187
Newfoundland	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
Prince Edward Island	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1
Nova Scotia	2	3	—	—	—	—	1	1	3	4
New Brunswick	6	6	4	4	1	1	—	—	11	11
Quebec	31	31	20	19	3	3	5	6	59	59
Ontario	32	32	26	24	15	13	31	28	104	97
Prairie Provinces	5	5	—	—	1	2	—	—	6	7
British Columbia	4	4	—	—	1	1	2	2	7	7

1. Wool goods, n.e.s., includes: Woollen fabrics, blankets and slumber throws, paper makers' and all other felt goods, shoddy, mungo, and wool extract, batts and batting, rags and wipers, pulled wool and pickled skins.

TABLE 2. Principal Statistics of the Wool Textile Group of Industries, Representative Years, 1929 to 1953

Year	Establishments	Employees	Salaries and wages	Cost of materials used	Gross value of production ¹
	Number		\$	\$	\$
1929	119	8,404	7,847,801	19,102,324	35,179,599
1932	130	8,586	7,121,340	10,776,770	25,301,015
1933	144	9,832	7,884,386	14,803,940	29,360,063
1935	148	11,159	9,209,871	19,365,091	36,906,786
1937	142	12,277	10,988,799	27,964,611	48,120,855
1938	137	10,825	9,336,497	19,284,595	34,825,424
1939	144	11,360	10,506,720	23,119,795	43,872,064
1940	152	14,216	14,828,800	44,137,253	77,135,832
1941	159	15,457	16,743,652	48,225,684	82,112,204
1942	162	15,871	19,288,988	59,146,920	101,620,652
1943	168	15,296	19,613,839	57,887,370	96,494,929
1944	169	14,835	19,759,673	52,451,967	90,271,623
1945	181	15,575	20,809,245	54,811,039	95,560,886
1946	208	17,620	24,418,748	60,239,328	107,539,253
1947	206	18,593	29,371,352	67,236,086	125,039,169
1948	204	18,590	34,080,806	79,088,446	142,322,893
1949	204	17,892	35,231,634	76,615,385	139,566,112
1950	201	17,357	36,042,433	94,249,427	157,359,345
1951	208	17,054	38,616,342	126,451,729	192,217,597
1952					
Total	192	15,276	37,262,397	85,285,954	150,935,470
Wool cloth	81	8,152	19,464,534	40,542,112	73,136,637
Wool yarn	51	3,440	7,863,795	21,137,627	34,765,701
Carpets, mats and rugs	21	1,549	3,893,911	6,848,325	13,427,279
Wool goods, n.e.s.	39	2,135	6,040,157	16,757,890	29,605,853
1953					
Wool cloth	82	7,785	18,997,252	34,387,199	61,441,236
Wool yarn	48	3,585	8,304,524	22,816,140	36,030,551
Carpets, mats and rugs	20	1,563	4,088,553	7,324,225	13,943,949
Wool goods, n.e.s.	37	2,273	6,556,175	18,794,880	31,453,040
Total	187	15,206	37,946,504	83,322,444	142,868,776
Atlantic Provinces	17	263	434,929	605,554	1,403,904
Quebec	59	4,602	11,358,680	27,185,205	45,417,730
Ontario	97	9,547	24,394,974	53,589,888	91,055,103
Prairie Provinces	7	556	1,178,313	581,140	2,762,925
British Columbia	7	238	579,608	1,360,657	2,229,114

1. In 1953 gross value of production is replaced by value of factory shipments. (See text). The inventory value of finished products at plant and plant warehouses at the end of 1952 amounted to \$10,354,000 and at the end of 1953 to \$12,879,000.

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.

TABLE 3. Comparison of Principal Statistics of the Wool Textile Group, 1932 and 1933

Items	Unit of measure	1932	1933	+ Increase - Decrease
Establishments reporting.....	No.	192	187	- 5
Employees on salaries:				
Total.....	"	1,958	2,008	+ 50
Male.....	"	1,261	1,299	+ 38
Female.....	"	697	709	+ 12
Total salaries.....	\$	7,886,492	8,093,205	+ 206,713
Employees on wages:				
Monthly averages.....	No.	13,318	13,198	- 120
Male.....	"	7,997	7,846	- 151
Female.....	"	5,321	5,352	+ 31
Total wages.....	\$	29,375,905	29,853,299	+ 477,394
Cost of fuel and electricity.....	\$	2,567,484	2,652,964	+ 85,480
Cost of materials used.....	\$	85,285,954	83,322,444	-1,963,510
Gross value of production.....	\$	150,935,470	142,868,776 ¹	-8,066,694

1. Value of factory shipments.

TABLE 4. Products of the Wool Textile Industries, 1932 and 1933

Principal products	Unit of measure	1932 Production		1933 Factory shipments	
		Quantity	Value \$	Quantity	Value \$
Woven Fabrics (Wool or containing wool)—					
Suttings, dress goods, overcoatings and cloakings ¹ :					
All wool, woollen.....	sq. yd.	13,615,978	25,213,986	13,705,536	20,711,712
All wool, worsted.....	"	5,433,309	15,066,679	7,740,474	18,140,117
Woollen and worsted mixed.....	"	2,199,538	7,729,857	233,414	578,396
Cotton warp, woollen.....	"	1,128,964	1,428,243	454,837	400,136
Woollen and rayon mixtures.....	"	4,480,784	6,514,813	4,753,065	5,491,380
Other wool mixtures.....	"	238,084	545,060	1,184,270	1,405,761
Auto cloths, upholstery fabrics, etc.	"	2,836,763	6,622,272	1,891,413	4,935,947
Woven Fabrics (not containing wool).....	—	—	1,787,856	—	3,162,949
Woven Goods (wool or containing wool)—					
Blankets:					
All wool.....	lb.	2,728,411	5,513,898	1,675,035	3,170,107
Cotton mixed.....	pr.	391,023		238,610	
Other.....	lb.	375,758	461,666	166,593	208,850
Crib.....	pr.	—		25,939	
Slumber throws.....	lb.	65,566	29,587	341,732	413,709
Auto rugs.....	pr.	15,952		64,174	
Other woven goods.....	no.	7,104	375,536	32,231	47,724
Auto rugs.....	"	81,684	432,997	11,658	216,182
Knitted Fabrics ²	—	—	1,335,916	100,799	403,966
Felt:					
Carpet cushion felt.....	—	—	1,491,668	—	1,719,735
Hair felt.....	—	—		—	
Punch felts on burlap.....	—	—	384,365	—	235,902
Boot, shoe, slipper and gaiter felts.....	—	—		—	
Wool, cotton and asbestos paper makers' felts.....	lb.	2,593,754	9,026,067	2,837,186	9,126,395
Harness and athletic felts.....	"	402,530	326,623	317,024	268,503
Insoling felt and cut insoles.....	—	—	185,365	—	194,752
Padding felt.....	—	—	439,977	—	539,132
Pennants and crests.....	—	—	374,131	—	420,782
Industrial and automotive felts (uncut).....	—	—	1,347,888	—	1,393,861
All other.....	—	—	59,258	—	66,235
Carpets, Mats, Rugs and Other Floor Coverings—					
Carpets in rolls, including stair:					
Axminster.....	carpet yd.	562,484	2,101,485	590,274	2,224,165
Wilton.....	" "	485,905	3,210,203	520,410	3,384,755
Tapestry.....	" "	308,917	1,058,079	—	—
All other.....	" "	187,752	1,236,801	544,413	1,735,777
Squares, woven, whole or in breadths, sizes 4'6" x 7'6" or larger:					
Axminster.....	" "	496,158	2,064,173	822,938	3,700,743
Wilton.....	" "	57,505	357,919		
Small squares and runners:					
Axminster.....	" "	88,427	361,222	75,479	305,345
All other.....	" "	66,074	279,277	34,592	159,833
Rugs—wool, fluff, cotton, hooked, etc.	—	—	510,814	—	545,628
Rugs, made from old carpets.....	—	—	389,128	—	288,618
Cocoa mats, rugs and matting.....	—	—	—	—	—
All other floor coverings.....	—	—	868,375	—	1,133,797

TABLE 4. Production 1952, Shipments 1953, in the Wool Textile Group — Concluded

Principal products	Unit of measure	1952 Production		1953 Factory shipments	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			\$		\$
Yarns for sale ³ :					
Woolen:					
Weaving	lb.	1,003,577	2,044,733	1,197,810	2,348,267
Machine knitting	"	4,902,350	6,001,414	4,389,657	5,687,105
Hand knitting	"	1,824,006	2,654,134		
Carpet	"	1,301,195	1,750,877	1,579,483	2,055,689
Worsted, oil spun:					
Weaving	"	881,210	1,665,452	1,002,594	1,743,153
Machine knitting	"	4,091,713	9,914,153	4,344,220	10,961,475
Hand knitting	"	1,335,766	4,457,020	1,396,413	4,528,578
Carpet	"	—	4	—	4
Worsted, dry spun:					
Weaving	"	131,094	373,552		
Knitting	"	1,100,402	2,739,106	1,681,508	4,479,335
All other yarns	"	1,744,276	2,204,666	2,754,265	3,131,474
Wool waste	"	1,061,193	280,152		
Wool noils	"	355,013	265,117	1,191,383	745,242
Shoddy, mungo and wool extract	"	10,294,448	2,939,487	10,922,534	2,969,254
Wool, pulled	"	1,718,227	1,345,462	2,147,003	1,541,251
Batts, flocks and rolls	"	3,713,402	756,836	9,172,731	698,031
Rags and wipers	"	2,297,529	575,295	1,556,516	153,372
Pickled skins	doz.	36,015	530,924	45,839	570,786
All other products	—	—	4,797,850	—	7,206,846
Custom work and commission	—	—	4,086,022	—	4,342,026
Dyeing and finishing, etc.	—	—	643,436	—	603,235
Intercompany transfers	—	—	1,601,780	—	918,370
Total value of products	—	—	150,935,470	—	142,868,776

1. For a more detailed breakdown of these items see Table 6

2. Includes stockinette and other knitted fabrics.

3. For total yarns spun, whether for sale, for own use, or on commission, see Table 5.

4. Included in "All other yarns".

TABLE 5. Total Yarns Spun in 1953 Whether Produced for Own Use, for Sale, or on Commission

	Worsted, oil	Worsted, dry	Woolen	Cotton	Spun rayon and mixtures	Other
	Pound					
Carpet weaving	136,311	—	3,087,336	—	65,513	—
Other weaving	5,182,368	833,183	18,496,706	51,569	175,000	—
Machine knitting	4,530,894	1,533,667	4,492,441	1,058,676	502,043	252,551
Hand knitting	1,355,881	—	542,538	—	—	30,539
Other	—	—	540,267	—	—	60,291
Total	11,207,474	2,366,850	27,159,288	1,110,247	742,556	343,381

TABLE 6. Supplementary Breakdown of Wool Woven Fabrics, 1953

	Suiting	Dress Goods	Cloaking	Overcoating
	Square yard			
All wool, woollen	2,567,284	639,706	6,641,492	3,857,054
All wool, worsted	7,636,249	7,021	97,204	—
Woolen and worsted	163,859	—	69,555	—
Cotton warp, woollen	435,477	19,360	—	—
Cotton warp, worsted	—	—	—	—
Other wool mixtures	1,663,783	2,739,545	1,161,760	372,247

TABLE 7. Materials Used in the Wool Textile Group, 1952 and 1953

Principal materials	Unit of measure	1952		1953	
		Quantity	Cost value at factory	Quantity	Cost value at factory
			\$		\$
Fibres:					
Cotton, raw	lb.	2,408,523	939,611	2,483,003	909,625
Cotton, waste	"	6,807,548	764,415	6,581,119	746,905
Rayon tops	"	389,472	211,131	726,849	357,827
Rayon staple fibre and rayon waste	"	3,955,297	1,635,537	3,684,115	1,185,266
Nylon	"	1,240,550	2,488,547	1,417,451	2,513,979
Wool¹:					
Canadian Grown (clean):					
Finer than 60's	lb.	167,291	301,215	181,237	210,420
60's	"	1,507,000	1,707,119	702,009	697,949
58's	"	404,305	321,734	248,070	220,761
56's	"	332,431	247,905	470,512	355,065
Coarser than 56's	"	1,847,389	1,817,533	2,932,870	2,032,701
Imported (clean):					
Finer than 60's	"	2,238,804	3,256,219	2,833,872	3,981,003
60's	"	3,030,076	4,334,555	2,341,154	2,631,277
58's	"	4,427,379	4,109,305	3,165,262	3,354,912
56's	"	1,678,332	1,429,227	1,878,899	1,744,790
Coarser than 56's	"	10,229,978	9,383,168	9,753,859	7,459,718
Wool Noils:					
Merino (60's or finer)	lb.	506,844	634,235	1,016,004	1,674,614
Crossbred (coarser than 60's)	"	103,157	105,769	679,678	783,593
Wool Tops:					
Merino (60's or finer)	lb.	5,615,809	9,117,484	6,266,701	10,803,426
Crossbred (coarser than 60's)	"	3,638,823	4,433,912	3,415,958	3,885,651
Dry or French	"	785,936	1,545,860	871,458	1,552,356
Broken or cut	"	—	—	346,361	640,343
Re-worked or re-processed, wool or part wool	"	3,995,098	1,430,623	3,562,472	1,315,225
Waste, wool or part wool	"	9,306,957	2,577,037	6,895,039	1,705,500
Alpaca, vicuna, camel and other animal hair	"	2,214,075	726,892	3,108,267	1,026,767
Rags, clippings, etc.	"	21,649,367	3,396,422	26,023,814	2,936,232
Other raw stock	"	1,195,299	362,417	2,582,171	476,796
Yarns:					
Cotton	lb.	3,591,264	2,928,893	4,232,081	3,190,528
Mercerized cotton	"	19,969	37,092	9,209	16,509
Synthetic	"	678,321	830,578	850,244	1,351,123
Worsted (combed), oil spun:					
Merino (60's or finer)	"	1,892,368	4,936,613	2,461,735	5,607,279
Crossbred (coarser than 60's)	"	441,313	615,729	446,712	796,293
Blends	"	490,873	633,166	340,204	453,300
Worsted (combed), dry spun:					
All wool	"	709,404	1,979,745	554,874	1,336,528
Blends	"	503,273	1,065,035	682,169	914,887
Carded or woollen spun	"	2,039,798	2,494,309	2,033,553	2,197,513
Mohair	"	—	—	—	—
Other animal hair	"	492,981	745,291	343,488	375,484
Paper yarn	"	582,470	148,440	562,526	140,372
Jute or hemp	"	1,603,263	490,685	1,800,000	481,313
All other	"	2,201,312	1,234,627	1,385,996	841,939
Fabrics:					
Burlap	yd.	1,402,155	277,000	2,260,879	276,837
All other	—	—	55,306	—	86,908
Threads, all kinds	—	—	37,820	—	38,997
Sheep skins	No.	519,153	1,229,010	686,325	1,053,002
Ribbons	—	—	85,043	—	75,276
Cords, trimmings, etc.	—	—	36,623	—	34,210
Dyestuffs, chemical, etc.	—	—	2,440,123	—	2,069,428
Soaps	lb.	1,420,314	234,531	1,317,885	221,410
Oils	—	—	407,224	—	368,213
All other materials	—	—	1,916,874	—	1,912,189
Dyeing and finishing charges	—	—	1,454,733	—	1,476,353
Combing, spinning, weaving and other processing charges	—	—	724,315	—	1,031,005
Packing and shipping materials	—	—	630,011	—	559,565
Intercompany transfers	—	—	338,866	—	213,282
Total cost of materials used	—	—	85,285,954	—	83,322,444

1. Canadian and Imported Wool may be classified as follows for the year 1953:

	Clean pounds equivalents	Greasy	Scoured or Carbonized	Pulled or Sliped
Canadian Grown		2,197,059	1,736,706	600,933
Imported		8,091,624	11,125,188	756,234

TABLE 8. Production of Woollen and Worsted Cloth, Wool Blankets and Carpets in all Industries, 1939-1952

	Woollen cloth, all wool		Woollen cloth, worsted		Wool blankets		Carpets in rolls		Carpets in squares 4'6" by 7'6" or larger	
	yd.	\$	yd.	\$	lb.	\$	Carpet yard	\$	Carpet yard	\$
1939	8,053,461	8,860,805	3,601,576	5,377,804	2,532,834	1,835,125	937,934	2,014,867	439,101	1,334,445
1940	9,755,917	15,043,867	4,048,280	7,067,405	5,816,809	5,380,361	620,645	1,492,893	674,879	2,489,839
1941	10,781,808	15,408,734	4,301,928	7,773,791	4,997,343	4,833,032	771,168	1,946,413	997,192	2,230,923
1942	9,824,568	18,072,217	4,996,756	9,423,440	5,430,267	5,442,000	663,284	1,834,623	1,045,460	2,668,131
1943	10,723,676	18,030,694	3,434,219	6,655,062	5,238,064	5,309,477	493,353	1,452,539	690,625	1,805,015
1944	11,652,411	17,464,143	4,432,249	8,417,979	3,792,255	4,105,340	520,868	1,696,023	602,668	1,809,800
1945	13,094,331	19,946,310	4,448,310	8,725,213	4,968,895	5,361,147	599,555	1,818,016	537,881	1,555,305
1946	16,213,725	28,092,553	5,732,394	12,571,828	3,513,748	4,104,232	873,173	2,603,082	636,095	1,996,715
1947	16,957,615	32,021,541	5,696,485	16,107,195	3,150,947	4,295,912	1,098,906	4,162,952	661,099	2,588,646
1948	15,693,559	31,740,906	5,633,763	21,763,536	3,237,511	4,122,284	1,378,531	5,326,935	881,165	3,738,586
1949	13,909,562	28,553,635	5,776,156	22,352,885	2,769,944	3,807,898	1,673,152	7,024,999	1,003,508	4,453,377
1950	11,557,682	24,184,800	6,285,172	24,813,228	2,871,643	4,292,429	1,918,090	9,134,733	892,962	3,684,198
1951 ¹	14,802,969	31,136,158	7,441,048	22,395,334	4,617,018	8,711,825	1,527,990	10,354,084	458,970	2,411,506
1952 ¹	14,793,984	27,093,964	5,433,309	15,066,679	3,921,035	7,639,775	1,545,058	7,606,568	561,296	2,468,399

1. Since 1951 items woollen cloth and worsted cloth are in square yards.

TABLE 9. Imports of Raw Wool, Yarns and Warps, Piece Goods, etc. (not including Wearing Apparel)
Calendar Years 1952 and 1953

	Unit of measure	1952		1953	
		Quantity	Value \$	Quantity	Value \$
Raw and Unmanufactured:					
Wool, in the grease	lb.	10,390,861	6,569,822	12,599,534	8,995,723
Wool, washed or scoured	"	13,070,380	10,667,901	13,232,923	12,255,740
Wool, pulled or slipped	"	901,904	613,885	999,024	719,381
Hair of the camel, alpaca, goat or other animal hair, n.o.p.	"	179,058	200,368	268,541	359,449
Noils, wool	"	184,183	190,648	224,571	248,545
Worsted tops	"	7,376,070	10,323,495	12,736,799	19,714,358
Garnetted wool waste in the white, for wool goods	"	226,621	229,151	285,767	367,835
Yarns and warps:					
Yarns composed wholly or in part of wool or hair, but not containing silk nor artificial silk, n.o.p.	lb.	241,234	633,957	589,332	1,247,043
Yarns and warps composed wholly of wool, or in part of wool or hair, imported by manufacturers	"	1,430,741	2,505,531	2,193,106	4,585,307
Yarns and warps, wholly of wool, or in part of wool or hair, for woven fabrics not exceeding six ounces to the square yard when in the gray	"	9,509	16,118	12,749	31,413
Yarns and warps, wholly of hair, or of hair and any vegetable fibre, imported by manufacturers	"	623,960	667,405	264,569	234,418
Yarn, mohair or alpaca, for cut pile fabrics for upholstering	"	3,181	5,793	14,353	29,556
Piece Goods:					
Woven fabrics of wool or hair, weighing over four ounces, and not over six ounces, to the square yard, in the gray, to be finished in Canada	"	94,335	217,750	64,586	137,999
Woven fabrics, of wool or hair, not exceeding in weight four ounces to the square yard, in the gray, to be finished in Canada	"	241,774	722,525	284,110	815,711
Knitted fabrics, wholly or in part of wool, n.o.p.	"	86,242	206,383	34,089	122,637
Flannels	"	516,528	1,087,590	626,997	1,379,664
Felt cloth, n.o.p.	"	50,308	29,801	3,789	9,719
Overcoatings	"	619,421	1,498,616	730,630	1,847,642
Tweeds	"	507,745	1,148,829	683,242	1,564,386
Worsted and serges	"	6,858,471	24,430,437	9,068,738	31,423,479
Woven fabrics, wholly or in part of yarns of wool or hair, n.o.p.	"	995,811	2,584,224	1,614,642	4,199,881
Woven fabrics, consisting of cotton warps with wafts of lustre wool, mohair or alpaca, generally known as lustres or Italian linings, n.o.p.	"	1,782	6,622	2,563	9,540
Woven or braided fabrics not exceeding 12 inches in width, wholly or in part of wool or hair	—	—	16,162	—	8,353
Woven fabrics with cut pile, wholly or in part of yarns of wool or hair, n.o.p. (plush)	lb.	51,225	130,959	53,298	115,028
Woven fabrics, composed wholly or in part of yarns of wool or hair, commonly known as billiard cloth	"	27,717	123,521	25,137	100,250

TABLE 9. Imports of Raw Wool, Yarns and Warps, Piece Goods, etc. (Not including Wearing Apparel) - Concluded
Calendar Years 1952 and 1953

	Unit of measure	1952		1953	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			\$		\$
Piece Goods (Concluded):					
Melton cloth, for tennis balls	lb.	—	—	2,208	4,085
Slipper cloth, for indoor footwear	"	5,668	7,952	—	—
Filter press cloth of wool	"	217	765	1,840	7,694
Carpets and Rugs:					
Carpets, Axminster, in the roll	sq. ft.	2,286,235	1,037,640	3,271,339	1,484,381
Carpets, Axminster, in squares	"	1,617,149	576,243	2,366,751	889,844
Carpets, Brussels and Wilton, in the roll	"	7,499,475	4,208,856	11,943,693	6,547,518
Carpets, Brussels and Wilton, in squares	"	542,197	326,087	745,544	426,312
Carpets, Ingrain, 2 and 3-ply, all wool or union, in the roll	"	211,677	71,115	610,145	202,605
Carpets, Ingrain, 2 and 3-ply, all wool or union, in squares	"	353,126	97,482	736,947	205,912
Carpets, oriental and hand woven	"	1,093,599	1,279,320	1,215,130	1,243,919
Carpets, tapestry and velvet, in the roll	"	124,176	42,280	609,215	288,353
Carpets, tapestry and velvet, in squares	"	3,261	1,523	9,247	4,215
Mats and hearth rugs, up to 3 feet x 6 feet, and runners	"	523,624	132,310	387,726	104,490
Manufactures, n.o.p.:					
Belting of camels' hair for machinery	—	—	24,851	—	11,227
Blankets, n.o.p. not to include automobile rugs, steamer rugs nor similar articles	lb.	381,729	584,547	630,837	1,008,574
Felt, pressed, in the web, and felt splints for medical purposes	"	136,344	159,591	149,609	231,381
Rugs, railway, steamer, travelling, lounge, automobile	"	34,357	57,214	160,625	165,954
Total Imports	—	—	73,435,269	—	103,349,520

TABLE 10. Exports of Raw Wool, Carpets, Fabrics, etc. (Not including Wearing Apparel)
Calendar Years 1952 and 1953

	Unit of measure	1952		1953	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			\$		\$
Wool, in the grease	lb.	2,612,347	1,389,346	3,098,261	1,585,865
Wool, scoured or washed	"	85,196	83,679	12,898	7,148
Wool, pulled or slipped	"	129,403	119,288	27,992	22,662
Wool nolls	"	224,440	207,418	297,117	283,463
Wool tops	"	119,606	138,254	—	—
Wool rags and waste	cwt.	32,211	1,053,972	67,389	2,397,660
Wool carpets and mats	—	—	6,954	—	5,518
Wool fabrics	yd.	25,656	121,394	15,524	62,008
Wool blankets	—	—	97,275	—	72,346
Wool manufactures, n.o.p.	—	—	21,053	—	17,071
Wool yarn	lb.	4,780	18,705	5,921	28,006
Total Exports	—	—	3,257,338	—	4,481,747

TABLE 11. Employees in the Wool Textile Industries by Sex, Remuneration and by Provinces, 1952 and 1953

	Canada	Quebec	Ontario	Prairie Provinces	British Columbia	Other provinces
1952						
Salaried employees:						
Total No.	1,958	557	1,263	69	34	35
Male No.	1,261	374	814	23	24	26
Female No.	697	183	449	46	10	9
Total salaries \$	7,886,492	2,304,137	5,149,839	194,457	140,893	97,166
Wage-earners:						
Monthly average No.	13,318	3,905	8,511	448	184	270
Male No.	7,997	2,644	4,936	235	70	112
Female No.	5,321	1,261	3,575	213	114	158
Total wages \$	29,375,905	8,744,156	19,005,284	814,172	387,728	424,565
All employees:						
Total No.	15,276	4,462	9,774	517	218	305
Male No.	9,258	3,018	5,750	258	94	138
Female No.	6,018	1,444	4,024	259	124	167
Total salaries and wages \$	37,262,397	11,048,293	24,155,123	1,008,629	528,621	521,731
1953						
Salaried employees:						
Total No.	2,008	640	1,225	81	30	32
Male No.	1,299	441	781	31	21	25
Female No.	709	199	444	50	9	7
Total salaries \$	8,093,205	2,668,150	4,907,454	297,459	134,862	85,280
Wage-earners:						
Monthly average No.	13,198	3,962	8,322	475	208	231
Male No.	7,846	2,737	4,714	224	75	96
Female No.	5,352	1,225	3,608	251	133	135
Total wages \$	29,853,299	8,690,530	19,487,520	880,854	444,746	349,649
All employees:						
Total No.	15,206	4,602	9,547	556	238	263
Male No.	9,145	3,178	5,495	255	96	121
Female No.	6,061	1,424	4,052	301	142	142
Total salaries and wages \$	37,946,504	11,358,680	24,394,974	1,178,313	579,608	434,929

TABLE 12. Monthly Employment of Wage-earners, 1952 and 1953

Months	1952			1953		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Number						
January	7,766	5,009	12,775	8,112	5,527	13,639
February	7,876	5,111	12,987	8,282	5,516	13,798
March	7,833	5,162	12,995	8,228	5,515	13,743
April	7,808	5,048	12,856	8,107	5,449	13,556
May	7,884	5,027	12,911	7,939	5,357	13,296
June	7,911	5,189	13,100	7,960	5,368	13,328
July	8,063	5,200	13,263	7,895	5,301	13,196
August	8,077	5,352	13,429	7,884	5,340	13,224
September	8,123	5,532	13,655	7,774	5,436	13,210
October	8,136	5,684	13,820	7,481	5,258	12,739
November	8,291	5,794	14,085	7,264	5,161	12,425
December	8,187	5,718	13,905	7,062	4,851	11,913
Monthly average	7,997	5,321	13,318	7,846	5,352	13,198

TABLE 13. Estimated Capital, Repair and Maintenance Expenditures, 1946-1953
(Thousands of dollars)

Year	Capital expenditures			Repair and maintenance expenditures			Capital, repair and Maintenance expenditures		
	Con- struction	Machinery and equipment	Sub-total	Con- struction	Machinery and equipment	Sub-total	Con- struction	Machinery and equipment	Total
Wool Cloth									
1946	896	1,375	2,271	1,759	—	1,759	2,655	1,375	4,030
1947	934	3,020	3,954	408	1,950	2,358	1,342	4,970	6,312
1948	599	4,007	4,606	455	2,208	2,663	1,054	6,215	7,269
1949	530	2,539	3,069	289	2,332	2,621	819	4,871	5,690
1950	665	1,307	1,972	228	1,666	1,894	893	2,973	3,866
1951	217	1,263	1,480	318	1,839	2,157	535	3,102	3,637
1952	234	1,084	1,318	199	1,479	1,678	433	2,563	2,996
1953	408	1,305	1,713	230	1,571	1,801	638	2,876	3,514
Wool Yarn									
1946	386	1,472	1,858	626	—	626	1,012	1,472	2,484
1947	151	922	1,073	151	479	630	302	1,401	1,703
1948	146	1,184	1,330	166	623	789	312	1,807	2,119
1949	204	1,130	1,334	136	575	711	340	1,705	2,045
1950	109	881	990	163	491	654	272	1,372	1,644
1951	50	660	710	192	509	701	242	1,169	1,411
1952	6	277	283	99	350	449	105	627	732
1953	54	603	657	93	415	508	147	1,018	1,165
Carpets, Mats and Rugs									
1946	75	27	102	229	—	229	304	27	331
1947	127	229	356	210	255	465	337	484	821
1948	37	299	336	92	189	281	129	488	617
1949	181	186	367	93	321	414	274	507	781
1950	109	188	297	116	287	383	225	455	680
1951	43	207	250	95	177	272	138	384	522
1952	9	256	265	59	183	242	68	439	507
1953	741	398	1,139	38	231	269	779	629	1,408
Wool Goods, n.e.s.									
1946	158	236	394	433	—	433	591	236	827
1947	51	398	449	128	303	431	179	701	880
1948	67	496	563	184	370	554	251	868	1,117
1949	187	436	623	264	387	651	451	823	1,274
1950	131	513	644	114	402	516	245	915	1,160
1951	352	523	875	86	436	522	438	959	1,397
1952	636	538	1,174	136	342	478	772	880	1,652
1953	163	399	562	85	399	484	248	798	1,046
Total Wool Group									
1946	1,515	3,110	4,625	3,047	—	3,047	4,562	3,110	7,672
1947	1,263	4,569	5,832	897	2,987	3,884	2,160	7,556	9,716
1948	849	5,986	6,835	897	3,390	4,287	1,746	9,376	11,122
1949	1,102	4,291	5,393	782	3,615	4,397	1,884	7,906	9,790
1950	1,014	2,889	3,903	621	2,826	3,447	1,835	5,715	7,350
1951	662	2,653	3,315	691	2,961	3,652	1,353	5,614	8,967
1952	885	2,155	3,040	493	2,354	2,847	1,378	4,509	5,887
1953	1,366	2,705	4,071	446	2,616	3,062	1,812	5,321	7,133

TABLE 14. Mechanical Equipment in the Wool Textile Industries, 1953

	Wool Cloth	Wool Yarn	Carpets, Mats and Rugs	Wool Goods n.e.s.
	Number			
Sets of Cards:				
Rag pickers	49	17	2	80
Garnetts	16	8	—	47
Shoddy	21	4	1	13
Worsted	13	1	—	33
Woollen-tape condenser	169	35	5	37
Woollen-ring doffer	87	64	—	4
Cotton	12	56	6	—
Width of Cards:				
40 inches and under	54	73	2	80
41 inches to 49 inches	92	55	2	3
50 inches to 59 inches	9	—	—	5
60 inches	192	52	6	95
Over 60 inches	20	5	4	31

TABLE 14. Mechanical Equipment in the Wool Textile Industries, 1953 - Concluded

	Wool cloth	Wool yarn	Carpets mats and rugs	Wool goods n.e.s.
	Number			
Spindles:				
Mules Spinning:				
Woolen	62,830	25,779	2,160	2,908
Worsted-Oil	—	—	—	—
Worsted-Dry	—	1,120	—	—
Cotton	—	—	—	—
Ring Spinning:				
Woolen	20,608	2,848	800	5,076
Worsted-Oil	20,340	21,020	—	—
Worsted-Dry	—	14,680	—	—
Cotton	1,976	8,088	—	—
Cap Spinning:				
Woolen	—	—	—	—
Worsted-Oil	17,216	34,636	—	—
Worsted-Dry	—	—	—	—
Cotton	—	—	—	—
Flyer Spinning:				
Woolen	—	—	—	24
Worsted-Oil	1,076	11,112	—	—
Worsted-Dry	—	—	—	—
Cotton	—	—	—	—
Number of Frames:				
Woolen	223	28	8	46
Worsted-Oil	296	278	—	—
Worsted-Dry	—	40	—	—
Cotton	8	39	—	—
Doubling and Twisting Spindles	22,056	33,474	636	284
Looms:				
Carpet:				
Up to 50 inches Reed Space	3	—	264	—
51 inches to 70 inches Reed Space	—	—	19	—
71 " to 83 " " "	—	—	39	—
84 " to 95 " " "	—	—	1	1
96 " and over " "	—	—	81	4
Plush:				
Up to 50 inches Reed Space	—	—	8	—
51 inches to 70 inches Reed Space	68	1	1	—
71 " to 83 " " "	—	—	—	—
84 " to 95 " " "	—	—	—	—
96 " and over " "	—	—	8	—
Flat, manual 4 x 4:				
Up to 50 inches Reed Space	35	—	—	—
51 inches to 70 inches Reed Space	4	—	—	—
71 " to 83 " " "	140	—	—	—
84 " to 95 " " "	236	16	—	—
96 " and over " "	33	25	—	—
Flat, manual, other:				
Up to 50 inches Reed Space	25	—	—	—
51 inches to 70 inches Reed Space	—	—	—	—
71 " to 83 " " "	21	—	—	1
84 " to 95 " " "	47	—	—	1
96 " and over " "	8	—	—	51
Flat, automatic, 4 x 1:				
Up to 50 inches Reed Space	—	—	—	—
51 inches to 70 inches Reed Space	41	—	—	—
71 " to 83 " " "	699	3	10	—
84 " to 95 " " "	593	2	—	54
96 " and over " "	51	—	—	56
Flat, automatic, other:				
Up to 50 inches Reed Space	100	—	6	—
51 inches to 70 inches Reed Space	10	—	—	—
71 " to 83 " " "	134	—	9	—
84 " to 95 " " "	239	—	2	—
96 " and over " "	30	—	3	—
Flat, hand:				
Up to 50 inches Reed Space	65	—	36	—
51 inches to 70 inches Reed Space	15	—	1	—
71 " to 83 " " "	8	—	3	—
84 " to 95 " " "	2	—	—	—
96 " and over " "	—	—	—	49
Wool combs—Noble	21	—	—	31
Wool combs—Other	—	—	—	18
Scouring machines	21	2	—	4
Raw stock carbonising machines	3	—	—	5

TABLE 15. Power Installation, 1948 and 1953

Classes of power	1948		1953	
	Number of units	Horse-power capacity	Number of units	Horse-power capacity
Steam engines and steam turbines	16	2,294	16	3,180
Gasoline, gas and oil engines, other than Diesel engines	6	347	3	214
Hydraulic turbines or water wheels	35	9,271	15	8,361
Electric motors operated by purchased power:				
In use	8,567	44,136	10,996	51,829
Idle	498	2,089	711	3,931
Total Power used in Manufacturing	9,122	58,137	11,741	67,515
Boiler installation:				
In use	66	10,787	38	7,626
Idle	3	385	6	2,000

TABLE 16. Consumption of Fuel and Electricity, 1948 and 1953

Kinds of fuel	Unit of measure	1948		1953	
		Quantity	Cost value at factory	Quantity	Cost value at factory
			\$		\$
Bituminous coal	ton	116,360	1,261,378	92,785	1,107,058
Gasoline (including gasoline used in cars and trucks)	Imp. gal.	98,897	37,476	84,890	34,591
Fuel oil	"	1,536,791	184,536	1,979,040	244,973
Other fuel	"	—	114,508	—	275,146
Total cost of fuel	—	—	1,597,948	—	1,661,768
Electricity purchased (including service charges)	K.W.H.	75,175,599	720,003	80,716,732	991,196
Total cost of fuel and electricity	—	—	2,317,951	—	2,652,964

SECTION II

The Wool Cloth Industry, 1953

As has been stated in the text on Page 3 of this report, the value of factory shipments was collected for the wool cloth industry in 1953 instead of the value of production as in former years. The value f.o.b. plant of the shipments made by the industry was \$61,441,236 which compares with a gross value of production of \$73,136,637 in 1952. Since plant inventories of finished goods increased by an estimated \$1,293,000, the value of the industry's output was about 14 per cent lower than in the previous year. Employment was down 4.5 per cent from 8152 in 1952 to 7785 in 1953 and salaries and wages decreased from \$19,464,534 in 1952 to \$18,997,252 in the year under review. The 14 per cent reduction in output was accompanied by a 15 per cent decrease in the cost of materials used from \$40,542,112 in 1952 to \$34,387,199 in 1953.

There were 82 establishments reporting in the wool cloth industry in 1953. Ontario, with 32 establishments, accounted for 50 per cent of the value of factory shipments and 53 per cent of employment while Quebec, with 31 establishments, accounted for 41 per cent and 31 per cent, respectively, of the two items. Of the remaining establishments 6 were in New Brunswick, 4 in British Columbia, 3 in Nova

Scotia, 3 in Manitoba, 1 in Newfoundland, 1 in Saskatchewan and 1 in Alberta.

The industry's leading product is apparel fabrics. Shipments of these by the industry in 1953 totalled 26,577,038 square yards valued at \$43,293,785 compared with 25,475,502 square yards valued at \$52,833,767 in 1952. "All wool, woollen", fabric accounted for 12,690,628 square yards and "all wool, worsted", fabric for 7,740,474 square yards of the 1953 total. The factory selling value of these two fabrics was \$18,002,845 and \$18,140,117, respectively.

The main material used was wool, the consumption of all greasy, pulled or slipped and scoured wool in 1953 amounting to 10,616,172 pounds at a cost of \$9,762,516. Tops of wool consumed totalled 3,467,167 pounds with a value of \$5,671,948 and worsted yarn usage amounted to 3,298,756 pounds valued at \$7,392,780.

For details of products shipped and materials used in the wool textile industries as a whole, reference should be made to Tables 4 and 7 of this Report.

TABLE 17, Principal Statistics, Representative Years, 1929 to 1953

Year and Province	Estab- lish- ments	Employees	Salaries and wages	Cost of materials used	Gross value of production
	Number		\$	\$	\$
1929.....	44	4,145	3,924,304	9,231,712	16,241,194
1932.....	55	4,990	4,165,731	6,311,800	13,127,796
1935.....	65	6,305	5,108,603	10,342,336	19,343,305
1937.....	57	6,498	5,570,225	13,938,282	23,726,495
1938.....	59	5,624	4,842,453	9,511,647	17,052,829
1939.....	63	5,986	5,486,944	11,910,253	21,878,459
1940.....	66	7,798	8,182,838	24,313,179	41,851,298
1941.....	69	8,403	9,285,865	25,516,953	43,176,439
1942.....	70	8,765	10,795,662	32,321,183	55,878,254
1943.....	73	8,694	11,139,587	31,434,044	53,223,954
1944.....	75	8,361	11,063,424	27,212,376	47,639,479
1945.....	85	8,876	11,809,767	29,073,496	52,030,372
1946.....	100	9,913	13,666,884	30,877,136	56,878,560
1947.....	95	10,189	15,917,448	34,853,119	65,507,368
1948.....	90	9,895	17,740,261	36,348,351	68,679,122
1949.....	89	10,036	19,031,918	35,701,320	68,985,257
1950.....	85	9,159	18,655,626	39,029,349	68,679,643
1951.....	88	9,407	20,773,185	60,068,359	91,365,498
1952					
Canada.....	81	8,152	19,464,534	40,542,112	73,136,637
Quebec.....	31	2,786	7,022,889	17,755,916	31,486,628
Ontario.....	32	4,451	10,641,686	20,249,373	35,686,561
Other Provinces ¹	18	915	1,799,959	2,536,823	5,963,448
1953					
Canada.....	82	7,785	18,997,252	34,387,199	61,441,236 ²
Quebec.....	31	2,744	6,895,844	15,638,638	25,167,160 ²
Ontario.....	32	4,114	10,178,093	16,609,273	30,844,880 ²
Other Provinces ²	19	927	1,923,315	2,139,288	5,429,196 ³

1. Comprises Nova Scotia, 2 establishments; New Brunswick, 6 establishments; Newfoundland, 1 establishment; Manitoba, 3 establishments; Saskatchewan, 1 establishment; Alberta, 1 establishment; and British Columbia, 4 establishments.

2. Comprises Nova Scotia, 3 establishments; New Brunswick, 6 establishments; Newfoundland, 1 establishment; Manitoba, 3 establishments; Saskatchewan, 1 establishment; Alberta, 1 establishment; and British Columbia, 4 establishments.

3. In 1953 gross value of production is replaced by value of factory shipments. (See text). The inventory value of finished products at plant and plant warehouses at the end of 1952 amounted to \$3,775,000 and at the end of 1953 to \$5,068,000.

TABLE 18. Comparison of Principal Statistics, 1952 and 1953

Items	1952	1953	+ Increase - Decrease
Establishments reporting..... No.	81	82	+ 1
Employees on salaries:			
Total..... No.	956	1,024	+ 68
Male..... No.	615	674	+ 59
Female..... No.	341	350	+ 9
Total salaries..... \$	3,846,843	4,112,647	+ 265,804
Employees on wages:			
Monthly average..... No.	7,196	6,761	- 435
Male..... No.	4,309	4,055	- 254
Female..... No.	2,887	2,706	- 181
Total wages..... \$	15,617,691	14,894,605	- 723,086
Cost of fuel and electricity..... \$	1,393,579	1,446,807	+ 53,228
Cost of materials used..... \$	40,542,112	34,387,199	- 6,154,913
Gross value of production..... \$	73,136,637	61,441,236	- 11,695,401

1. Value of factory shipments.

TABLE 19. Employees by Sex and Remuneration and by Provinces, 1952 and 1953

		Canada	Quebec	Ontario	Other provinces
1952					
Salaried employees:					
Total.....	No.	956	383	463	110
Male.....	No.	615	254	310	51
Female.....	No.	341	129	153	59
Total salaries	\$	3,846,843	1,637,462	1,856,945	352,436
Wage-earners:					
Monthly average.....	No.	7,196	2,403	3,988	805
Male.....	No.	4,309	1,557	2,405	347
Female.....	No.	2,887	846	1,583	458
Total wages	\$	15,617,691	5,385,427	8,784,741	1,447,523
All employees:					
Total.....	No.	8,152	2,786	4,451	915
Male.....	No.	4,924	1,811	2,715	398
Female.....	No.	3,228	975	1,736	517
Total salaries and wages	\$	19,464,534	7,022,889	10,641,686	1,799,959
1953					
Salaried employees:					
Total.....	No.	1,024	434	475	115
Male.....	No.	674	293	327	54
Female.....	No.	350	141	148	61
Total salaries	\$	4,112,647	1,863,348	1,810,903	436,396
Wage-earners:					
Monthly average.....	No.	6,761	2,310	3,639	812
Male.....	No.	4,055	1,566	2,166	323
Female.....	No.	2,706	744	1,473	489
Total wages	\$	14,884,605	5,030,496	8,367,190	1,456,919
All employees:					
Total.....	No.	7,785	2,744	4,114	927
Male.....	No.	4,729	1,859	2,493	377
Female.....	No.	3,056	885	1,621	550
Total salaries and wages	\$	18,997,252	6,895,844	10,178,093	1,923,315

TABLE 20. Monthly Employment of Wage-earners, 1952 and 1953

Months	1952			1953		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Number						
January.....	4,300	2,959	7,259	4,229	2,804	7,033
February.....	4,340	2,954	7,294	4,320	2,631	7,151
March.....	4,335	2,955	7,290	4,313	2,772	7,085
April.....	4,306	2,878	7,184	4,209	2,736	6,945
May.....	4,333	2,832	7,165	4,127	2,758	6,885
June.....	4,288	2,891	7,179	4,165	2,778	6,943
July.....	4,364	2,829	7,193	4,192	2,765	6,957
August.....	4,372	2,817	7,189	4,132	2,726	6,858
September.....	4,315	2,847	7,162	3,969	2,721	6,690
October.....	4,210	2,881	7,091	3,710	2,558	6,268
November.....	4,287	2,923	7,210	3,629	2,522	6,151
December.....	4,279	2,867	7,146	3,601	2,409	6,010
Monthly average	4,309	2,887	7,196	4,055	2,706	6,761

SECTION III

The Wool Yarn Industry, 1953

The decision of the Bureau to convert the basis of its manufacturing survey from production to factory shipments has been dealt with on page 3 of this report. In its first year under the changed concept, the wool yarn industry reported factory shipments which had a value f.o.b. plant of \$36,030,551. Allowing for a slight reduction in inventory during the year amounting to an estimated \$103,000, this amount compares favorably with the \$34,765,701 gross value of production reported in 1952 and indicates a 4 per cent increase.

Increased activity is indicated in other terms as well. Employment which stood at 3,440 in 1952 rose to 3,585 in 1953, a gain of 4 per cent, accompanied by a 6 per cent increase in salary and wage payments from \$7,863,795 to \$8,304,524. Materials consumed in manufacture in 1953 cost \$22,816,140, up 8 per cent over the preceding year's \$21,137,627.

Establishments numbered 48 in 1953, 3 less than in the previous year. Ontario with 24 establishments accounted for 73 per cent of the value of shipments and 74 per cent of employment. The remaining mills were distributed by provinces as follows: 19 in Quebec, 4 in New Brunswick and 1 in Prince Edward Island.

Yarns, of course, were the principal items produced by the industry. The leading material was wool in its various forms but considerable quantities of other fibres—cotton, rayon, nylon, etc.—were also consumed. Tables showing factory shipments and materials used are not set up separately for this industry. Details of these for the wool textile industries as a whole are to be found in Tables 4 and 7 of this Report.

TABLE 21. Principal Statistics, 1929 to 1953

Year and Province	Estab- lishments	Employees	Salaries and wages	Cost of materials used	Gross value of production
	Number		\$	\$	\$
1929	27	1,825	1,281,074	3,962,096	7,027,242
1930	26	1,568	1,063,196	2,924,001	5,089,204
1931	28	1,550	1,122,592	2,209,645	4,547,749
1932	29	1,755	1,210,169	2,411,436	4,593,019
1933	33	2,362	1,642,733	3,834,122	7,116,903
1934	34	2,464	1,700,598	4,671,476	7,873,714
1935	34	2,626	1,909,168	4,986,518	8,647,741
1936	34	2,979	2,136,158	5,924,443	10,100,629
1937	34	2,966	2,430,535	6,590,796	10,620,241
1938	31	2,625	1,957,600	5,011,986	8,433,481
1939	33	2,659	2,152,207	5,344,598	9,576,174
1940	38	3,481	3,167,910	10,624,128	17,512,414
1941	40	3,707	3,388,944	11,963,231	18,295,546
1942	41	3,698	3,858,423	13,156,536	21,204,201
1943	43	3,388	3,761,529	12,773,403	20,206,649
1944	42	3,391	3,892,137	12,436,752	20,318,119
1945	44	3,511	4,087,141	13,566,420	21,361,512
1946	53	4,238	5,093,009	15,330,348	25,019,305
1947	55	4,816	6,859,561	17,489,930	30,577,163
1948	58	4,840	8,229,814	22,801,126	36,749,445
1949	49	3,921	7,251,566	18,633,070	30,487,847
1950	49	4,235	7,887,318	27,022,684	40,378,379
1951	53	3,845	8,094,500	31,391,933	44,718,127
1952					
Canada	51	3,440	7,863,795	21,137,627	34,765,701
Prince Edward Island.....	1				
New Brunswick.....	4	53	89,082	81,695	256,768
Quebec.....	20	797	1,744,339	5,014,477	7,781,049
Ontario.....	26	2,590	6,030,374	16,041,455	26,727,884
1953					
Canada	48	3,585	8,304,524	22,816,140	36,030,551 ¹
Prince Edward Island.....	1				
New Brunswick.....	4	54	95,720	97,701	293,045 ¹
Quebec.....	19	879	1,884,922	5,834,761	9,374,372 ¹
Ontario.....	24	2,652	6,323,882	16,883,678	26,363,134 ¹

1. In 1953 gross value of production is replaced by value of factory shipments. (See text). The inventory value of finished products at plant and plant warehouses at the end of 1952 amounted to \$2,774,000 and at the end of 1953 to \$2,471,000.

TABLE 22. Comparison of Principal Statistics, 1932 and 1933

Items	1952	1953	+ Increase - Decrease
Establishments reporting..... No.	51	48	- 3
Employees on salaries:			
Total..... No.	426	402	- 24
Male..... No.	259	241	- 18
Female..... No.	167	161	- 6
Total salaries..... \$	1,464,492	1,403,789	- 60,703
Employees on wages:			
Monthly average..... No.	3,014	3,183	+ 169
Male..... No.	1,475	1,471	- 4
Female..... No.	1,539	1,712	+ 173
Total wages..... \$	6,399,303	6,900,735	+ 501,432
Cost of fuel and electricity..... \$	504,881	529,364	+ 24,483
Cost of materials used..... \$	21,137,627	22,816,140	+1,678,513
Gross value of production..... \$	34,765,701 ¹	36,030,551	+1,264,850

1. Value of factory shipments.

TABLE 23. Employees by Sex and Remuneration and by Provinces, 1932 and 1933

	Canada	Quebec	Ontario	Other provinces
1952				
Salaried employees:				
Total..... No.	426	86	333	7
Male..... No.	259	66	186	7
Female..... No.	167	20	147	-
Total salaries..... \$	1,464,492	301,070	1,137,042	26,380
Wage-earners:				
Monthly average..... No.	3,014	711	2,257	46
Male..... No.	1,475	494	957	24
Female..... No.	1,539	217	1,300	22
Total wages..... \$	6,399,303	1,443,269	4,893,332	62,702
All employees:				
Total..... No.	3,440	797	2,590	53
Male..... No.	1,734	560	1,143	31
Female..... No.	1,706	237	1,447	22
Total salaries and wages..... \$	7,863,795	1,744,339	6,030,374	89,082
1953				
Salaried employees:				
Total..... No.	402	93	302	7
Male..... No.	241	73	161	7
Female..... No.	161	20	141	-
Total salaries..... \$	1,403,789	309,348	1,068,967	25,474
Wage-earners:				
Monthly average..... No.	3,183	786	2,350	47
Male..... No.	1,471	530	916	25
Female..... No.	1,712	256	1,434	22
Total wages..... \$	6,900,735	1,575,574	5,254,915	70,246
All employees:				
Total..... No.	3,585	879	2,652	54
Male..... No.	1,712	603	1,077	32
Female..... No.	1,873	276	1,575	22
Total salaries and wages..... \$	8,304,524	1,884,922	6,323,882	95,720

TABLE 24. Monthly Employment of Wage-earners, 1932 and 1933

Months	1952			1953		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
	Number					
January.....	1,451	1,292	2,743	1,515	1,688	3,203
February.....	1,453	1,370	2,823	1,567	1,612	3,179
March.....	1,435	1,365	2,800	1,533	1,697	3,230
April.....	1,390	1,342	2,732	1,485	1,714	3,199
May.....	1,335	1,368	2,703	1,443	1,636	3,079
June.....	1,358	1,434	2,792	1,442	1,676	3,118
July.....	1,374	1,470	2,844	1,440	1,674	3,114
August.....	1,455	1,636	3,091	1,465	1,763	3,228
September.....	1,529	1,757	3,286	1,514	1,842	3,356
October.....	1,595	1,823	3,418	1,487	1,843	3,330
November.....	1,678	1,847	3,525	1,409	1,784	3,193
December.....	1,620	1,788	3,408	1,330	1,588	2,918
Monthly average.....	1,475	1,539	3,014	1,471	1,712	3,183

SECTION IV

The Carpet, Mat and Rug Industry, 1953

The goods shipped from the factories of Canadian carpet, mat and rug manufacturers in 1953 had a value f.o.b. plant of \$13,943,949. The collection of the value of factory shipments instead of gross value of production as in former years is discussed in the text of Section 1. Taking into account a \$1,058,000 increase in finished goods inventory during the year, it would appear that the value of production in 1953 was about 12 per cent above the preceding year's output of \$13,427,279. Employment was up slightly from 1549 in 1952 to 1563 in 1953 accompanied by an increase in salary and wage payments from \$3,893,911 to \$4,088,553 over the two years. Materials used in manufacture cost \$6,848,325 in the earlier year compared with \$7,324,225 in the later.

The industry was comprised of 20 establishments in 1953 distributed provincially as follows: Ontario,

13; Quebec, 3; Manitoba, 2; New Brunswick, 1; British Columbia, 1. Ontario dominates the industry and in the year under review accounted for 88 per cent of factory shipments and 87 per cent of employment.

The output of this industry is almost entirely comprised of carpets, mats and rugs. In 1953 shipments of these commodities totalled \$13,463,594, the balance of \$480,355 consisting of various sundry items. Yarns of wool, cotton, jute, etc. represent the main material used by the industry. The consumption of these in 1953 was reported as costing \$5,305,622. Raw wool usage amounted to \$1,162,228. An assortment of materials accounted for the balance. For further details of shipments and materials for the wool textile industries as a whole reference should be made to Tables 4 and 7 of this Report.

TABLE 23. Principal Statistics, Representative Years, 1929 to 1953

Year and Province	Estab- lish- ments	Em- ployees	Salaries and wages	Cost of materials used	Gross value of production
	Number		\$	\$	\$
1929.....	22	1,293	1,463,685	2,559,680	5,434,555
1932.....	22	946	858,264	774,857	2,109,326
1935.....	24	1,076	1,036,696	1,430,894	3,389,999
1936.....	26	1,221	1,220,631	1,782,796	4,133,325
1937.....	21	1,370	1,394,602	2,631,844	5,365,576
1938.....	18	1,252	1,191,305	1,764,821	3,736,027
1939.....	18	1,295	1,331,546	1,716,354	4,349,460
1940.....	17	1,278	1,533,932	2,318,468	5,238,930
1941.....	20	1,481	1,807,614	2,888,194	6,679,593
1942.....	17	1,353	1,854,903	2,969,875	6,500,828
1943.....	17	1,168	1,698,117	2,553,349	5,763,925
1944.....	16	1,058	1,675,993	2,472,925	5,279,942
1945.....	17	1,091	1,657,306	2,400,230	5,207,726
1946.....	20	1,250	2,048,379	2,940,500	6,460,462
1947.....	20	1,347	2,440,090	3,970,501	8,824,257
1948.....	18	1,541	3,132,954	5,604,344	11,789,642
1949.....	23	1,741	3,821,714	6,482,467	14,621,269
1950.....	21	1,656	3,818,724	7,506,660	15,488,575
1951.....	22	1,455	3,698,615	8,769,831	16,313,738
1952					
Canada.....	21	1,549	3,893,911	6,848,325	13,427,279
Ontario.....	15	1,352	3,474,449	6,001,938	11,821,237
Quebec.....	3	140	281,134	601,544	1,174,173
Other Provinces ¹	3	57	138,328	244,843	431,869
1953					
Canada.....	20	1,563	4,088,553	7,324,225	13,943,949 ³
Ontario.....	13	1,352	3,615,880	6,393,549	12,335,051 ³
Quebec.....	3	152	333,589	779,268	1,185,823 ³
Other Provinces ²	4	59	139,084	151,408	423,075 ³

1. Other Provinces include: New Brunswick, 1 establishment; Manitoba, 1 establishment. and British Columbia, 1 establishment.

2. Other Provinces include: New Brunswick, 1 establishment; Manitoba, 2 establishments; and British Columbia, 1 establishment.

3. In 1953 gross value of production is replaced by value of factory shipments. (See text). The inventory value of finished products at plant and plant warehouses at the end of 1952 amounted to \$1,334,000 and at the end of 1953 to \$2,392,000

TABLE 26. Comparison of Principal Statistics, 1952 and 1953

Items	1952	1953	+ Increase - Decrease
Establishments reporting	No. 21	20	- 1
Employees on salaries:			
Total	No. 261	265	+ 4
Male	No. 172	166	- 6
Female	No. 89	99	+ 10
Total salaries	\$ 1,023,176	927,670	- 95,506
Employees on wages:			
Monthly average	No. 1,288	1,298	+ 10
Male	No. 791	820	+ 29
Female	No. 497	478	- 19
Total wages	\$ 2,870,735	3,160,883	+ 290,148
Cost of fuel and electricity	\$ 299,365	264,411	- 34,954
Cost of materials used	\$ 6,848,325	7,324,225	+ 475,900
Gross value of production	\$ 13,427,279	13,943,949 ¹	+ 516,670

1. Value of factory shipments.

TABLE 27. Employees, Salaries and Wages by Provinces, 1952 and 1953

	Ontario		Quebec		Other provinces ¹		Canada	
	1952	1953	1952	1953	1952	1953	1952	1953
Salaried employees:								
Total	No. 226	216	20	34	15	15	261	265
Male	No. 154	137	9	19	9	10	172	166
Female	No. 72	79	11	15	6	5	89	99
Total salaries	\$ 917,199	753,202	61,682	128,624	44,295	45,844	1,023,176	927,670
Wage-earners:								
Monthly average	No. 1,126	1,136	120	118	42	44	1,288	1,298
Male	No. 699	732	55	52	37	36	791	820
Female	No. 427	404	65	66	5	8	497	478
Total wages	\$ 2,557,250	2,862,678	219,452	204,965	94,033	93,240	2,870,735	3,160,883
All employees:								
Total	No. 1,352	1,352	140	152	57	59	1,549	1,563
Male	No. 853	869	64	71	46	46	963	986
Female	No. 499	483	76	81	11	13	586	577
Total salaries and wages	\$ 3,474,449	3,615,880	281,134	333,589	138,328	139,084	3,893,911	4,088,553

1. Includes New Brunswick, Manitoba and British Columbia.

TABLE 28. Monthly Employment of Wage-earners, 1952 and 1953

Months	1952			1953		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
	Number					
January	683	376	1,059	887	573	1,460
February	709	405	1,114	877	586	1,463
March	736	460	1,196	894	561	1,455
April	767	464	1,231	882	521	1,403
May	820	469	1,289	858	496	1,354
June	823	482	1,305	826	445	1,271
July	828	519	1,347	765	406	1,171
August	812	507	1,319	761	407	1,168
September	806	517	1,323	743	427	1,170
October	831	545	1,376	766	421	1,187
November	851	582	1,433	776	443	1,219
December	833	623	1,456	783	457	1,240
Monthly average	791	497	1,288	820	478	1,298

SECTION V

The Miscellaneous Wool Goods Industry, 1953

The industry consists of establishments whose principal products have wool as their chief component material but which cannot properly be classified under other sections of the wool textile industry. The main items in this group of products are felts and felt products, pulled wool, reworked or reprocessed wool, wool flock, wool waste and wool tops.

The total value of factory shipments in the miscellaneous wool goods industry in 1953 was \$31,453,040. Taking into consideration an increase during the year of \$277,000 in finished goods inventory, gross value of production was \$31,730,040 or 7.2 per cent higher than the \$29,605,853 worth of goods produced in 1952. The industry furnished employment to 2273 persons, 6.5 per cent more than in the previous year while salary and wage payments at \$6,556,175 were up 8.5 per cent. The

materials used in manufacture cost \$18,794,880 in 1953 compared with \$16,757,890 in 1952, a gain of 12.2 per cent.

Shipments of paper-makers felts by the industry totalled 2,490,012 pounds valued at \$7,642,373 compared with the 2,224,215 pounds worth \$7,404,999 produced in 1952. Other felts, all kinds, had a selling value of \$4,772,272 as against \$4,568,338 a year earlier. The leading material was raw wool of which 8,923,139 pounds (clean basis) costing \$9,210,117 were consumed compared with 7,035,811 pounds costing \$7,733,181 in 1952. Rags, clippings, etc. used totalled 22,894,672 pounds worth \$2,075,676 as against 17,328,023 pounds worth \$2,226,606 in the previous year. For details of products shipped and materials used in the wool textiles as a whole reference should be made to Tables 4 and 7 of this Report.

TABLE 29. Principal Statistics, Representative Years, 1929 to 1953

Year and Province	Estab- lish- ments	Employees	Salaries and wages	Cost of materials used	Gross value of production
	Number		\$	\$	\$
1929	26	1,141	1,178,738	3,348,836	6,476,608
1932	24	895	887,176	1,278,677	3,470,874
1935	25	1,152	1,155,404	2,605,343	5,525,741
1937	30	1,443	1,593,437	4,803,689	8,408,543
1938	29	1,324	1,345,139	2,996,141	5,603,087
1939 ¹	30	1,420	1,536,023	4,148,590	8,067,971
1940 ¹	31	1,659	1,944,120	6,881,478	12,533,190
1941 ¹	30	1,866	2,261,229	7,857,306	13,960,626
1942 ¹	34	2,055	2,780,000	10,699,328	18,037,369
1943 ¹	35	2,046	3,014,606	11,126,574	17,300,401
1944 ¹	36	2,025	3,128,119	10,329,914	17,034,083
1945 ¹	35	2,097	3,255,031	9,770,893	16,961,276
1946 ¹	35	2,219	3,610,476	11,091,344	19,180,926
1947 ¹	36	2,241	4,154,253	10,922,536	20,130,381
1948 ¹	38	2,314	4,977,777	14,334,625	25,104,684
1949 ¹	43	2,194	5,126,436	15,798,528	25,471,739
1950 ¹	46	2,307	5,680,765	20,690,734	32,812,348
1951 ¹	45	2,347	6,050,042	26,221,606	39,820,334
1952 ¹					
Canada	39	2,135	6,040,157	16,757,890	29,605,853
Ontario	31	1,381	4,008,614	11,565,409	20,106,215
Quebec	5	739	1,999,931	5,031,002	9,261,165
Other Provinces ²	3	15	31,612	161,479	238,473
1953 ¹					
Canada	37	2273	6,556,175	18,794,880	31,453,040 ³
Ontario	28	1,429	4,277,119	13,703,388	21,512,038 ³
Quebec	6	827	2,244,325	4,932,538	9,690,375 ³
Other Provinces ²	3	17	34,731	158,954	250,627 ³

1. Includes additional pulled wool not reported under this industry until 1939.

2. Includes Nova Scotia and British Columbia.

3. In 1953 gross value of production is replaced by value of factory shipments. (See text). The inventory value of finished products at plant and plant warehouses at the end of 1952 amounted to \$2,471,000 and at the end of 1953 to \$2,748,000.

TABLE 30. Comparison of Principal Statistics, 1952 and 1953

Items	1952	1953	+ Increase - Decrease
Establishments reporting	No. 39	37	- 2
Employees on salaries:			
Total	No. 315	317	+ 2
Male	No. 215	218	+ 3
Female	No. 100	99	- 1
Total salaries	\$ 1,551,981	1,649,099	+ 97,118
Employees on wages:			
Monthly average	No. 1,820	1,956	+ 136
Male	No. 1,422	1,500	+ 78
Female	No. 398	456	+ 58
Total wages	\$ 4,488,176	4,907,076	+ 418,900
Cost of fuel and electricity	\$ 369,659	412,382	+ 42,723
Cost of materials used	\$ 16,757,890	18,794,880	+ 2,036,990
Gross value of production	\$ 29,605,853	31,453,040 ¹	+ 1,847,187

1. Value of factory shipments.

TABLE 31. Employees, Salaries and Wages by Provinces, 1952 and 1953

	Ontario		Quebec		Other provinces ¹		Canada	
	1952	1953	1952	1953	1952	1953	1952	1953
Salaries employees:								
Total	No. 241	232	68	79	6	6	315	317
Male	No. 164	156	45	56	6	6	215	218
Female	No. 77	76	23	23	-	-	100	99
Total salaries	\$ 1,238,653	1,274,382	303,923	364,830	9,405	9,887	1,551,981	1,649,099
Wage-earners:								
Monthly average	No. 1,140	1,197	671	748	9	11	1,820	1,956
Male	No. 875	900	538	589	9	11	1,422	1,500
Female	No. 265	297	133	159	-	-	398	456
Total wages	\$ 2,769,961	3,002,737	1,696,008	1,879,495	22,207	24,844	4,488,176	4,907,076
All employees:								
Total	No. 1,381	1,429	739	827	15	17	2,135	2,273
Male	No. 1,039	1,056	583	645	15	17	1,637	1,718
Female	No. 342	373	156	182	-	-	498	555
Total salaries and wages	\$ 4,008,614	4,277,119	1,999,931	2,244,325	31,612	34,731	6,040,157	6,556,175

1. Includes Nova Scotia and British Columbia.

TABLE 32. Monthly Employment of Wage-earners, 1952 and 1953

Months	1952			1953		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
	Number					
January	1,332	382	1,714	1,481	462	1,943
February	1,374	382	1,756	1,518	487	2,005
March	1,327	382	1,709	1,488	485	1,973
April	1,345	364	1,709	1,531	478	2,009
May	1,396	358	1,754	1,511	467	1,978
June	1,442	382	1,824	1,527	469	1,996
July	1,497	382	1,879	1,498	456	1,954
August	1,438	392	1,830	1,526	444	1,970
September	1,473	411	1,884	1,548	446	1,994
October	1,500	435	1,935	1,518	436	1,954
November	1,475	442	1,917	1,450	412	1,862
December	1,455	440	1,895	1,348	397	1,745
Monthly average	1,422	398	1,820	1,500	456	1,956

APPENDIX

Directory of Firms in the Wool Textiles Industries, 1953

Name of Firm	Location
Firms Engaged in Manufacture of Wool Cloth, 1953	
NEWFOUNDLAND:	
Riverside Woollen Mills	St. John's
NOVA SCOTIA:	
Lewis & Sons Ltd., J.	Truro
Oxford Woollen Mills Ltd.	Oxford
Textila Limited	Truro
NEW BRUNSWICK:	
Charlotte County Cottage Craft	St. Andrews
Copp Woollen Mills Ltd.	Port Elgin
Humphrey & Son Ltd., J. A.	Humphrey's
Loomcrofters, The	Gagetown
Madawaska Weavers Ltd.	St. Leonard
St. Andrews Woollens Ltd.	St. Andrews
QUEBEC:	
Beaudoin, Francois	St. Evariste Station
Canadian Homespuns Reg'd	2015 Union Ave., Montreal
Chassé & Fils Ltée., Charles	Ste-Marie de Beauce
Collins & Aikman of Canada Ltd.	Farnham
Cookshire Woollen Mills Ltd.	Cookshire
Duval & Raymond Enrg.	Princeville
Eastern Woollen & Worsted Mills Ltd.	Richelieu
Fawcett & Grant Ltd.	Huntingdon
Fibro Wool Weaving Mill	122 Evans St., Montreal
Glenor Textiles	St. Bruno de Guigues
Hirsch, Lillian Reg'd.	110 St. Catherine St. W., Montreal
Huntingdon Woollen Mills Ltd.	Huntingdon
Joliette Worsted Co., Ltd.	709 St Thomas St., Joliette
La Filature D'Ambroise Enrg	St, Pascal
La Filature de l'Isle-Verte	Isle-Verte
La Filature du Saguenay Ltée	362 Ave. Savard, Chicoutimi
Leach Textiles Ltd.	Lorne Ave., Huntingdon
Little Shop Inc.	Pointe-au-Pic
Maple Leaf Textiles Ltd.	3355 Lafontaine St., Montreal
Méthot & Frère Ltée	Cap-St-Ignace
Montrose Worsted Mills Inc.	201 St-Antoine St. N., Granby
Paton Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	9 Belvédère St. N., Sherbrooke
Pik Mills Ltd.	275 St-Sacrement Ave., Quebec
Popular Rugs Ltd.	Huntingdon
Selan Fabrics Reg'd.	1449 St. Alexander St., Montreal
Sheard & Co. Ltd., George	Coaticook
St. George Woollen Mills Ltd.	St. George, Co. Beauce.
St. Johns Textile Mills Ltd.	145 Cousins St., St. Johns
Textile Ste Anne Ltée	Rigaud
Textile Weavers Limited/Textile Sales Ltd.	Grand'Mère
Warwick Woollen Mills Ltd.	Warwick
ONTARIO:	
Arad Textiles Co. Limited	239 Sorauren Ave., Toronto
Artex Woollens Ltd.	Hespeler
Barrymore Cloth Co. Ltd.	Pembroke
Barrymore Cloth Co. Ltd.	1179 King St. W., Toronto
Benmiller Woollen Mills	Benmiller
Bird Woollen Mill Co. Ltd., The	Bracebridge
Brook Woollen Co., of Simcoe, Ltd., The	Simcoe
Campbellford Cloth Co. Ltd., The	Campbellford
Canada Hair Cloth Co. Ltd.	198 St. Paul St., St. Catharines
Cantex Company	Highland Creek
Collie Woollen Mills Ltd.	Appleton
Dominion Woollens & Worsted Ltd.	Hespeler
Downs, Coulter & Co. (Canada) Limited	107 Wragge St., Trenton
Dupont Textiles Ltd.	533 College St., Toronto
Fromm Bros. Ltd.	453 Dundas St., Galt
Globe Mills Ltd.	Meaford
Hield Brothers Limited	Kingston
Horn Bros. Woollen Co. Limited	Lindsay
Imperial Cloth Co.	Kincardine
Leach & Co. Limited, H.	237 Front St. E., Toronto
Lester & Burton Ltd.	251 Sorauren Ave., Toronto
Paris Wincey Mills Co. Ltd., The	Paris
Pattinson & Co. Ltd., Geo.	Eagle St., Preston
Renfrew Textiles Ltd.	25 Stewart St., Renfrew
Renfrew Woollen Mills	Emily St., Carleton Place
Renfrew Woollen Mills	Arthur St., Renfrew
Rosamond Woollen Co., Ltd.	Mary St., Almonte
Slingsby Mfg. Co. Ltd.	268 Grand River Ave., Brantford
Strathroy Woollen Mills Limited, The	Strathroy
Tayside Textiles Ltd.	Perth
Thoburn Woollen Mills	Almonte
Watchorn Woollen Mills	Merrickville

Directory of Firms in the Wool Textiles Industries, 1953 - Continued

Name of Firm	Location
Firms Engaged in Manufacture of Wool Cloth, 1953 - Concluded	
MANITOBA:	
Custom Woollen Mills	Sifton
Brandon Woollen Mills Co. Ltd.	6th & Assiniboine, Brandon
Fairfield & Sons Limited	St. James
SASKATCHEWAN:	
Saskatchewan Wool Products	417 River St. W., Moose Jaw
ALBERTA:	
Prairie Woollen Mills Limited	Magrath
BRITISH COLUMBIA:	
Island Weavers Ltd.	816 Esquimalt Rd., Victoria
Spider Looms Limited	3618 Kingsway, Vancouver
West Coast Woollen Mills Limited	520 Clark Drive, Vancouver
Western Canada Weaving Mills Ltd.	78 E 2nd Ave., Vancouver
Firms Engaged in Manufacture of Wool Yarns, 1953 AB	
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND:	
Condon & Sons, Wm.	65 Queen St., Charlottetown
NEW BRUNSWICK:	
Acadia Woollen Mills	St. Joseph
Briggs & Little's Woollen Mill	York Mills
Brown's Woollen Mills	South Nelson
Carterton Co. Woollen Mills	Main St., Woodstock
QUEBEC:	
Canadian Yarn Corporation	425 River St., Verdun
Denetre, Sault & Criez (Canada) Ltd.	145 rue Cousins, St-Jean
Filature Plessis Limitée	Plessisville
Grandmère Handcraft Company Limited	Grand'Mère
La Filature Bernier	Cap-St-Ignace
La Filature de Warwick Cie Ltée	Warwick
La Filature Duchesne	Metabetchouan
La Filature St. Charles Enrg.	St. Charles
La Filature St-Charles-de-Caplan Enrg.	St-Charles-de-Caplan
Les Textiles du Grand Moulin Inc.	R.R. 2 St. Pascal
Marak Textile Mill & Products	2035 Desjardins St., Montreal
Morin Textiles Ltd.	Danville
Penmans Limited	Girouard St., St. Hyacinthe
Rock & Frère Enrg.	Nicolet
Spinners Limited	Huntingdon
St. Come Woollens & Worsted Ltd.	St. Come de Beauce
Toronto Carpet Mfg. Company Limited	6 Alice St., Joliette
Tre-Mont Worsted Mills Ltd.	1950 Sherbrooke St. W., Montreal
Victor Woollen Products Ltd.	St-Victor-de-Tring
ONTARIO:	
Acme Mendings	275 Eilerslie Ave., Willowdale
Alton Woollen Mills	Alton
Bancroft Woollen Mills	Bancroft
Botany Dryspinners Reg'd	Kincardine
Brinton-Peterborough Carpet Co. Ltd.	Lindsay
Canadian Worsted Mfg. Ltd.	137 Wellington St. W., Toronto
Dominion Woollens & Worsteds Limited	Orillia
Dominion Woollens & Worsteds Limited	McDonnell St., Peterborough
Fenelon Botany Spinners Company Limited	Fenelon Falls
Flesherton Woollen Mills	Flesherton
Harding Yarns Limited	83 Neeve St., Guelph
Holdroyd & Son, H.	97 Pelham Ave. W., Toronto
Knitters Limited	Loge St., Lindsay
MacFarlane Spinning Limited	198 St. Paul St., St. Catharines
Model Knitting Mills	179 John St., Toronto
Mohawk Mills Limited	Mohawk Rd. & Kenilworth Ave., Hamilton
Newlands & Co. Limited	Mill St., Galt
Patons & Baldwins Limited	1001 Roselawn Ave., Toronto
Penmans Limited	Willow St., Paris
Penmans Limited	Waterford
Spinrite Yarns & Dyers Reg'd	Listowel
Spit-Tex Limited	Strathroy
York Knitting Mills Limited (York Spinning Division)	70 Crawford St., Toronto
York Mending Wool Co. Ltd.	778 King St. W., Toronto

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Directory of Firms in the Wool Textiles Industries, 1953 - Concluded

Name of Firm	Location
Firms Engaged in Manufacture of Carpets, Mats and Rugs, 1953	
NEW BRUNSWICK:	
Maritime Rug Works Limited	370 Main St., Saint John
QUEBEC:	
Blackwood Morton & Sons (Canada) Ltd.	Ste. Thérèse-de-Blainville
Levis Textile Ltd.	Lévis
Peeters Textile Mills Ltd., The	225 St. Charles, Granby
ONTARIO:	
Brinton-Peterborough Carpet Co. Ltd.	Peterborough
Cobourg Matting & Carpet Co. Ltd.	180 Tremaine St., Cobourg
Continental Rug Co. Limited	680 King St. West., Toronto
Continental Woollen Mills Limited	680 King St. West., Toronto
De Luxe Stair Cushion Co.	40 Danforth Rd., Toronto
Dominion Rug Weaving Co.	2477 Dundas St. W., Toronto
Eagle Rug Co.	33 - 1st Ave., Simcoe
Empire Rug Mills Limited	Frank St., St. Catharines
Hamilton Rug Works	188½ Market St., Hamilton
Harding Carpets Limited	Morrell St., Brantford
Niagara Rug Co.	580 Victoria Ave., Niagara Falls
Toronto Carpet Mfg. Company Limited	1179 King St. W., Toronto
Valu-Mat Co.	North Division Rd., Kingsville
MANITOBA:	
Capital Carpet Co.	701 Wellington Ave., Winnipeg
Rainbow Rug Co.	187 Sutherland Ave., Winnipeg
BRITISH COLUMBIA:	
Columbia Carpet Co. Ltd.	25 Montreal St., Victoria
Firms Engaged in Manufacture of Miscellaneous Wool Goods, 1953	
NOVA SCOTIA:	
Colonial Hide Company	Windsor
QUEBEC:	
Albany Felt Co. of Canada Ltd.	Cowansville
American Flock Manufacturers	11475 Rivet St., Montreal East
Avers Limited	Lachute Mills
Dominion Hair Felt Co. Ltd.	131 Collin St., St. Johns
Lebeau Combing Mills	St-Pie
Standard Felt Products Limited	705 Bourget St., Montreal
ONTARIO:	
Almac Felt Mfg. Co.	120 Don Roadway W., Toronto
Blyth Woollen Mills	Blyth
Bowmanville Wool Co.	Bowmanville
Brantford Wool Stock Company, The	31 Jarvis St., Brantford
Canada Packers Limited	Ft. of Strachan Ave., Toronto
Canadian Wool Co. Ltd., The	701 Metropolitan Bldg., Toronto
Code Felt & Knitting Co. Ltd., The	Perth
Cotton Felts Ltd.	257 Niagara St., Toronto
Dominion Rubber Company Limited	84 Margaret Ave., Kitchener
Empire Wool Stock Co.	51 Stuart St. W., Hamilton
Gazer Mill Stock Supplies, Wm.	112 Grey St., Brantford
General Wool Stock Company	35 Wabash, Toronto
Godfrey Limited, S.	49 Front St. E., Toronto
Granatstein & Son Ltd., M.	428 Wellington St. W., Toronto
Hands & Company	31 St. Patrick St., Toronto
Hime & Co. Ltd., B.A.	1 Wiltshire Ave., Toronto
Homuth Sons Limited, Otto	358 Eagle St., Preston
Kenwood Mills Limited	William St., Arnprior
Lalor & Co. Ltd., John M.	610 Eastern Ave., Toronto
Porritt & Spencer (Canada) Ltd.	240 Lottridge St., Hamilton
Rumpei Felt Co. Ltd., The	60 Victoria St. N., Kitchener
Simcoe Wool Stock Co. Ltd.	Jarvis
Simcoe Wool Stock Co. Ltd.	Norfolk St. S., Simcoe
Smith Manufacturing Co. Limited	207 Front St. E., Toronto
Wiltshire Wool Stock Ltd.	3 Sherbourne St., Toronto
Wool Combing Corporation of Canada Limited	Acton (Head Office: 712 Metropolitan Bldg. Toronto)
Wool Combing Corporation of Canada Limited	Galt (Head Office: 712 Metropolitan Bldg. Toronto)
Yorkshire Wool Stock Mill	Almonte
BRITISH COLUMBIA:	
Birkland Bros.	3573 Main St., Vancouver
Bissinger & Co.	365 W. 2nd. Ave., Vancouver