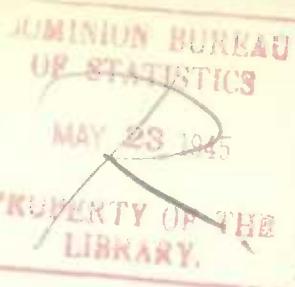


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THE HOSIERY, KNITTED GOODS AND FABRIC GLOVE AND MITTEN INDUSTRIES  
IN CANADA, 1943

This report is divided into three sections, (1) Combined principal statistics and products of the hosiery and knitted goods and the fabric glove and mitten industries, (2) The hosiery and knitted goods industry and (3) The fabric glove and mitten industry.

Section 1.

The combined hosiery, knitted goods and fabric glove and mitten industries had a gross value of production of \$82,061,291 in 1943 and represented a capital investment of \$58,729,293. They gave employment to 22,954 persons and paid out in salaries and wages the sum of \$24,359,974. Materials used cost \$39,439,555.

Table 2 gives the products in summary form and makes it possible to show the total value of fabric gloves produced in the two industries.

Table 1. - Principal Statistics of the Combined Hosiery, Knitted Goods and Fabric Glove and Mitten Industries, 1930 to 1943.

Year	Estab-	Capital Invested	Em- ployees	Salaries and Wages	Cost Materials Used	Gross Value of Production
	lish- ments					
	No.	\$	No.	\$	\$	\$
1930 .....	167	65,047,351	18,570	15,057,147	25,509,913	54,117,924
1931 .....	170	58,192,856	18,026	14,168,262	22,426,118	48,517,044
1932 .....	177	53,159,883	17,828	13,588,157	19,525,979	43,613,331
1933 .....	178	50,116,823	17,371	12,736,675	19,674,962	41,384,657
1934 .....	175	50,073,179	18,213	13,715,512	22,118,608	45,495,811
1935 .....	171	50,613,890	18,767	14,407,505	23,257,080	46,929,554
1936 .....	177	51,970,886	19,713	15,293,474	24,712,969	50,106,294
1937 .....	180	52,321,704	20,579	16,444,767	26,890,033	53,649,689
1938 .....	184	52,332,034	20,314	16,352,579	23,428,552	50,214,886
1939 .....	182	56,655,235	21,484	17,898,962	27,637,965	58,170,145
1940 .....	181	57,130,391	23,438	20,864,036	36,120,213	70,076,873
1941 .....	192	59,179,201	24,738	22,709,977	39,667,694	78,127,528
1942 .....	200	58,533,429	24,034	23,844,408	39,372,775	81,740,815
1943	205	58,729,293	22,955	24,359,974	39,439,555	82,061,291
Hosiery and Knitted goods	191	58,023,438	22,344	23,849,986	38,532,495	80,209,219
Fabric gloves and mittens	14	705,855	611	509,988	907,060	1,852,072

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Table 2. - Summary of Production of the Combined Hosiery, Knitted Goods and Fabric Glove and Mitten Industries, 1942 and 1943.

Note: For further details see tables 5 and 18.

Principal Products	Unit of Measure	1942		1943	
		Quantity	Selling Value at Factory	Quantity	Selling Value at Factory
			\$		\$
Hosiery .....	Doz. Pr.	8,586,211	33,957,761	8,225,077	33,327,478
Underwear -					
Combination .....	Dozen	490,170	5,258,720	476,543	5,510,304
Separate .....	"	2,410,864	11,673,185	2,131,975	11,459,427
Underslips .....	"	154,094	1,479,730	82,658	747,346
Knitted Outerwear -					
Sweaters, cardigans, pullovers, etc. ....	"	773,904	10,826,498	816,630	10,953,878
Other (not including gloves and mittens) .	-	-	2,834,364	-	3,111,502
Gloves and mittens -					
Knitted .....	Doz. Pr.	270,114	1,501,020	346,361	2,085,845
Fabric .....	" "	777,241	2,029,086	794,006	2,245,878
Yarns for sale or transfer, all kinds ..	-	-	2,296,789	-	2,076,969
All other products ....	-	-	9,628,172	-	10,233,017
Contract work, etc. ...	-	-	255,490	-	309,647
TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS	-	-	81,740,815	-	82,061,291

SECTION 2. - THE HOSIERY AND KNITTED GOODS INDUSTRY IN CANADA, 1943.

Reports were received from 191 establishments operating in the hosiery and knitted goods industry in 1943. These establishments had a gross value of production amounting to \$80,209,219 and represented a capital investment of \$58,023,438. Employment was given to 22,344 persons who were paid in salaries and wages the sum of \$23,849,986. The cost of materials used was \$38,532,495.

As compared with 1942, the only significant variation was in employment. Here there was a decline of 1,118 persons or 5 per cent. In this connection, it may be noted that since 1941 the industry has been hampered by difficulties in the labour situation, as well as by lack of necessary yarns, and has therefore been unable to utilize fully its potential production capacity. This, together with the heavy demands made by the armed forces, has necessarily affected the availability of goods for civilian consumption.

The peak in hosiery production was reached in 1941, in which year the greatest number of persons were employed. In the table immediately following, the production of hosiery, underwear, sweaters, cardigans, pullovers, etc. is given for the years 1939, 1941 and 1943. This table makes clearly evident the replacement of silk by other fibres in the production of hosiery, the greater demand for separate garment underwear, and also the decline in the volume of production following 1941.

	Unit of Measure	1939	1941	1943
<b>Hosiery -</b>				
Cotton, all kinds, including mixtures	Doz. Prs.	1,952,823	2,596,063	2,998,438
Real silk, including mixtures .....	" "	3,309,359	2,360,728	22,818
Artificial silk, including mixtures ..	" "	715,041	1,438,411	2,933,200
All other .....	" "	2,000,248	2,405,278	2,270,621
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	" "	<b>7,977,471</b>	<b>8,800,480</b>	<b>8,225,077</b>
<b>Underwear -</b>				
Combination .....	Dozen	665,891	625,840	476,543
Separate garments .....	"	1,906,874	2,421,372	2,131,975
Sweaters, cardigans, pullovers, etc. .	Dozen	623,484	757,398	816,630

Yarns of various kinds, particularly cotton, woollen, worsted, botany and artificial silk, comprise the greater part of all the materials used. In 1943 the consumption of all yarns was 34,267,379 pounds, valued at \$26,038,431. Of this, the largest single item was cotton, which totalled 16,143,798 pounds worth \$7,352,557.

In 1943 employment was given to 20,124 wage-earners. August, with 19,842 was the month of minimum employment, while November, with 20,490, represented the maximum. Male wage-earners averaged 50.3 hours per week, with average weekly earnings of \$27.63. For females the comparable figures were 45.0 hours and \$15.88.

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Table 3. - Principal Statistics, 1928 to 1943.

Year and Provinces	Establishment	Capital Invested	Employees	Salaries and Wages	Cost of Materials Used	Gross Value of Production
	No.	\$	No.	\$	\$	\$
1928 .....	158	59,385,994	17,591	14,750,894	30,801,854	57,502,779
1929 .....	159	64,874,497	19,048	15,873,511	30,438,508	59,500,060
1930 .....	158	63,757,225	18,165	14,745,113	24,981,327	53,042,817
1931 .....	161	57,173,774	17,698	13,948,570	22,052,418	47,757,703
1932 .....	169	52,604,950	17,655	13,474,974	19,349,634	43,252,752
1933 .....	170	49,485,772	17,159	12,610,093	19,473,785	40,997,210
1934 .....	167	49,446,669	17,978	13,565,616	21,831,064	44,957,047
1935 .....	163	50,048,900	18,511	14,252,653	22,948,056	46,390,103
1936 .....	168	51,398,678	19,429	15,120,277	24,360,941	49,469,140
1937 .....	171	51,666,165	20,250	16,228,813	26,446,763	52,855,754
1938 .....	174	51,808,989	20,031	16,154,050	23,049,120	49,505,474
1939 .....	174	56,365,078	21,312	17,778,485	27,383,530	57,669,805
1940 .....	172	56,768,555	23,225	20,695,578	35,756,140	69,427,328
1941 .....	181	58,666,872	24,362	22,423,739	39,128,357	77,122,209
<b>1942</b>						
CANADA .....	186	57,826,720	23,462	23,422,666	38,550,016	80,134,426
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick ..	4	2,497,225	1,120	979,662	1,924,203	3,666,908
Quebec .....	66	19,209,037	9,064	8,498,311	13,679,067	29,390,964
Ontario .....	105	35,218,058	12,919	13,619,219	22,284,317	45,813,662
Manitoba .....	5	325,539	176	148,773	379,621	640,445
Alberta and Saskatchewan ...	3)	576,861	183	176,701	282,808	622,447
British Columbia.	3)					
<b>1943</b>						
CANADA .....	191	58,023,438	22,344	23,849,986	38,532,495	80,209,219
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick ..	4	2,459,346	1,120	1,026,720	1,979,606	3,735,500
Quebec .....	67	19,580,803	8,753	9,061,317	14,440,532	30,429,048
Ontario .....	109	35,131,718	12,090	13,381,272	21,452,633	44,619,441
Manitoba .....	5	354,471	162	149,618	330,564	659,064
Alberta and Saskatchewan ...	3)	497,100	219	231,059	329,060	766,166
British Columbia.	3)					

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Table 4. - Comparison of Principal Statistics, 1942 and 1943.

Items		1942		1943		+ Increase - Decrease
		No.	\$	No.	\$	
Establishments reporting .....	No.	186		191		+ 5
Capital invested .....	\$	57,826,720		58,023,438		+ 196,718
Employees on salaries -						
Total .....	No.	2,284		2,220		- 64
Male .....	No.	1,348		1,303		- 45
Female .....	No.	936		917		- 19
Total salaries .....	\$	4,805,713		5,053,371		+ 247,658
Employees on wages -						
Monthly average .....	No.	21,178		20,124		- 1,054
Male .....	No.	6,726		6,086		- 640
Female .....	No.	14,452		14,038		- 414
Total wages .....	\$	18,616,953		18,796,615		+ 179,662
Power equipment -						
Units .....	No.	5,018		5,204		+ 186
Horse-power capacity .....	H.P.	21,354		22,988		+ 1,634
Cost of fuel and electricity ...	\$	1,099,213		1,171,947		+ 72,734
Cost of materials used .....	\$	38,550,016		38,532,495		- 17,521
Gross value of production .....	\$	80,134,426		80,209,219		+ 74,793
Value added by manufacture .....	\$	40,485,197		40,504,777		+ 19,580

Table 5. - Production, 1942 and 1943.

Principal Products	Unit of Measure	1942		1943		\$	
		Quantity	Selling Value at Factory	Quantity	Selling Value at Factory		
Hosiery (1)							
Woollen .....	Doz. Pr.	816,832	2,959,841	790,346	3,120,671		
Woollen mixtures, chiefly woollen .....	" "	795,112	2,881,326	952,811	3,587,048		
Worsted, produced chiefly from oil spun yarn .....	" "	244,696	1,227,444	161,626	682,077		
Merino and merino mixtures, chiefly merino .....	" "	329,584	1,162,700	156,581	579,965		
Cashmere & mixtures .....	" "	46,297	212,206	50,520	214,411		
Cotton .....	" "	1,547,959	2,764,994	1,584,241	3,581,920		
Cotton, mercerized .....	" "	652,549	3,019,002	572,913	2,434,552		
Cotton mixtures, chiefly cotton .....	" "	1,081,819	2,547,039	841,284	2,027,832		
Silk .....	" "	54,324	452,631)				
Silk mixtures, chiefly silk .....	" "	58,780	416,866)	22,818	183,424		

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Table 5. - Production, 1942 and 1943 - (Continued)

Principal Products	Unit of Measure	1942		1943	
		Quantity	Selling Value at Factory	Quantity	Selling Value at Factory
Hosiery - (Concluded)			\$		\$
Artificial silk .....	Doz. Pr.	1,728,112	9,818,658	2,206,943	12,547,466
Artificial silk mixtures, chiefly artificial silk ....	" "	1,180,504	6,350,207	726,257	3,578,320
All other hosiery, chiefly worsted and cotton mixed ...	" "	49,643	144,847	158,737	789,792
TOTAL HOSIERY .....	" "	8,586,211	33,957,761	8,225,077	33,327,478
Underwear, combination -					
Merino and merino mixtures, chiefly merino .....	Dozen	83,036	1,463,963	74,869	1,413,143
Wool .....	"	7,497	194,072	9,392	266,487
Wool mixtures, chiefly wool .....	"	44,751	595,828	50,083	808,225
Cotton .....	"	314,206	2,522,143	280,206	2,362,961
Cotton mixtures, chiefly cotton .....	"	37,120	440,867	58,116	619,908
Artificial silk and arti- ficial silk mixtures, chiefly artificial silk ....	"	3,560	41,847	3,877	39,580
TOTAL UNDERWEAR, COMBINATION ..	"	490,170	5,258,720	476,543	5,510,304
Underwear, separate garments -					
Merino and merino mixtures, chiefly merino .....	"	129,001	1,419,265	136,943	1,621,780
Wool .....	"	29,388	329,443	24,143	259,336
Wool mixtures, chiefly wool .....	"	99,154	1,033,220	171,058	1,905,436
Cotton .....	"	1,357,634	4,954,067	1,200,223	4,215,090
Cotton mixtures, chiefly cotton .....	"	313,020	1,823,094	207,901	1,734,714
Silk and silk mixtures, chiefly silk .....	"	(2)	(2)	-	-
Artificial silk and arti- ficial silk mixtures .....	"	366,136	1,454,650	391,707	1,723,071
Other .....	"	116,531	659,446	-	-
TOTAL UNDERWEAR, SEPARATE .....	"	2,410,864	11,673,185	2,131,975	11,459,427

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Table 5. - Production, 1942 and 1943 - (Continued)

Prinocial Products	Unit of Measure	1942		1943	
		Quantity	Selling Value at Factory	Quantity	Selling Value at Factory
		\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Knitted Outerwear -</b>					
Sweaters, cardigans, pullovers, etc. -					
Wool .....	Dozen	498,777	8,431,168	427,415	7,235,284
Cotton .....	"	188,541	1,214,965	289,018	1,889,015
Artificial silk .....	"	8,370	110,892	1,271	18,531
Other .....	"	78,216	1,069,473	98,926	1,811,048
Knitted suits and dresses .....	"	17,426	464,733	7,232	278,692
Bathing suits .....	"	64,554	956,934	44,574	712,320
Infants' knitgoods, all kinds	"	81,392	535,493	114,244	868,144
Scarves and mufflers .....	"	41,503	373,109	99,122	611,995
Hoods, caps and tuques, etc.	"	72,675	347,012	72,430	335,994
Gaiters and leggings .....	Doz. Pr.	-	29,148	4,673	38,138
<b>Knitted gloves and mittens -</b>					
Dress .....	" "	225,074	1,366,431	292,527	1,914,203
Work .....	" "	42,397	123,240	52,232	166,375
Other .....	" "	2,643	11,349	1,602	5,267
Shawls .....	Dozen	1,681	25,991	1,520	22,877
Other knitted outerwear .....	"	-	101,944	43,501	243,342
Kimonos, dressing gowns, etc.	Dozen	933	29,996	648	25,700
<b>Pyjamas (3) -</b>					
Cotton .....		733	14,654)		
Silk and artificial silk, etc.	"	5,584	97,534)	4,440	93,170
<b>Nightdresses (3) -</b>					
Artificial silk .....	"	20,584	298,321	14,067	235,986
Other .....	"	5,793	91,446	6,298	86,628
Underslips (3), artificial silk, etc. .....	"	153,950	1,472,774	138,708	1,550,046
Woven goods, including blankets, slumber throws and auto rugs.	-	-	951,307	-	958,121
Woven fabrics, wool .....	Yd.	810,627	1,246,525	812,888	1,402,121
<b>Jersey cloth -</b>					
Cotton .....	-	-	528,986	-	668,668
Wool .....	-	-	418,762	-	635,524
Artificial silk .....	Lb.	732,265	705,939	202,687	208,941
Other .....	-	-	820,487	-	834,441
Stockinette (Cotton, wool, etc.) .....	Lb.	1,407,738	1,316,716	1,338,691	952,687
Glove and shoe linings .....	-	-	351,012	-	378,386
Wristing, tubing and skirting.	Lb.	836,381	524,956	645,877	426,577
Other knitted fabrics, artificial silk .....	-	-	316,610	-	666,652
Waste, rags and clippings ....	-	-	78,590	-	67,406

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Table 5. - Production, 1942 and 1943 - (Concluded)

Principal Products	Unit of Measure	1942		1943	
		Quantity	Selling Value at Factory	Quantity	Selling Value at Factory
Yarn for sale -			\$		\$
Woollen .....	Pound	767,151	702,565	715,643	705,098
Worsted .....	"	818,094	1,138,049	696,978	953,138
All other .....	"	-	456,175	-	418,733
All other products .....	"	-	2,293,824	-	2,183,115
Amount received for contract work, including spinning, knitting, dyeing, etc. of goods furnished by others .....	"	-	227,650	-	309,647
TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS .....	-	-	80,134,426	-	80,209,219

(1) For breakdown of hosiery into Full Fashioned, etc. see Table 6.

(2) Included under "other underwear, separate garments".

(3) Includes woven and knitted.

Table 6. - Production of Hosiery, 1942 and 1943.

Note: - Hosiery shown below is included in table 5, classified as Woollen, Cotton Silk, etc.

	1942		1943	
	Quantity	Selling Value at Factory	Quantity	Selling Value at Factory
			Doz.	Pr.
Full fashioned .....	2,764,064	17,804,900	2,621,542	16,660,440
Seamless .....	5,822,147	16,152,861	5,603,535	16,667,038
TOTAL .....	8,586,211	33,957,761	8,225,077	33,327,478

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Table 7. - Materials Used, 1942 and 1943.

Principal Materials	Unit of Measure	1942		1943	
		Quantity	Cost Value at Factory	Quantity	Cost Value at Factory
		\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Fibres -</b>					
Cotton, raw .....	Pound	2,480,178	426,026	2,602,404	467,545
Silk, raw .....	"	33,272	131,879	-	-
Domestic wool, in condition purchased -					
Greasy .....	"	434,176	158,546	815,498	287,030
Pulled or sliped .....	"	497,918	229,242	935,309	459,674
Scoured .....	"	12,731	5,298	49,947	26,376
Foreign wool, in condition purchased -					
Greasy .....	"	1,857,046	709,157	1,627,518	664,540
Pulled or sliped .....	"	1,217,011	537,312	693,596	320,177
Scoured .....	"	2,092,699	1,260,796	2,048,134	1,332,293
Wool tops .....	"	1,967,924	1,593,061	1,933,923	1,570,871
Wool waste and noils .....	"	1,447,889	387,687	900,256	265,478
Shoddy, mungo and wool extract .....	"	605,914	124,249	639,010	150,823
Cotton waste .....	"	496,869	81,812	207,985	20,643
Rayon staple fibre and rayon waste .....	"	152,581	36,084	62,912	18,656
Other raw stock .....	-	4,391	4,288	80,994	15,198
<b>Yarns -</b>					
Cotton .....	Pound	17,858,379	8,159,196	16,143,798	7,352,557
Woollen .....	"	4,600,356	3,018,029	4,302,751	3,058,885
Worsted .....	"	2,575,771	3,157,890	2,591,997	3,488,125
Botany .....	"	1,713,127	2,672,075	1,918,386	2,971,902
Merino .....	"	798,746	539,351	826,827	497,376
Angora .....	"	22,099	120,378	6,083	37,992
Mercerized cotton .....	"	1,586,900	2,265,956	1,586,983	2,344,780
Silk .....	"	60,880	256,249	1,919	7,727
Artificial silk .....	"	4,355,506	4,060,700	4,418,584	4,374,492
Wool and cotton mixed .....	"	312,449	298,545	636,989	706,926
Wool and silk mixed .....	"	93,976	94,663	76,119	64,100
Worsted and rayon mixed ...	"	15,657	14,173	39,476	35,229
Cotton and rayon mixed ....	"	30,343	26,350	72,016	72,139
Backing .....	"	730,080	162,484	733,614	171,066
Other mixed yarns .....	"	157,573	133,159	104,401	87,523
Lastex .....	"	15,579	40,291	-	-
All other yarns .....	"	-	216,668	807,436	767,612

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Table 7. - Materials Used, 1942 and 1943 (Concl.)

Principal Materials	Unit of Measure	1942		1943	
		Quantity	Cost Value at Factory	Quantity	Cost Value at Factory
		\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Fabrics -</b>					
Sateens and other fancy cloths	Yard	838,604	283,798	822,842	269,996
Cotton	"	2,826,300	596,317	-	486,866
Woollen	"	255,110	288,482	-	255,414
Silk	"	5,124	4,612	-	2,097
Artificial silk	"	3,505,116	1,369,357	-	1,375,465
Other	"	-	113,527	-	74,089
Soaps	Pound	1,416,845	151,106	1,077,739	121,270
Oils, all kinds	"	"	212,763	-	177,976
Dyestuffs, chemicals, etc.	"	-	865,311	-	840,623
<b>Laces, braids and other trimmings</b>					
Elastic webbing	"	-	169,149	-	116,709
Rubber thread	Pound	27,655	46,490	-	10,071
Other thread	"	-	437,445	-	446,388
Labels	"	-	183,201	-	137,193
Ribbons	"	-	49,784	-	36,390
Buttons	"	-	228,140	-	229,615
<b>Fasteners, all kinds, including buckles, clasps, zippers, etc.</b>					
All other materials	"	-	309,533	-	182,245
Charges for spinning, throwing, dyeing, etc.	"	-	380,824	-	353,302
Packing and shipping materials	"	-	564,521	-	672,185
<b>TOTAL COST OF MATERIALS</b>					
USED	"	-	38,550,016	-	38,532,495

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Table 8. - Capital Invested, 1929 to 1943.

Year and Provinces	Fixed Capital	Working Capital	Total Capital
	Present value of land, buildings, fixtures, machinery, tools, etc.	Inventory value materials on hand, stocks in process, finished products, fuel and miscellaneous supplies on hand	
1929 .....	33,708,249	17,755,952	64,874,497
1930 .....	34,594,169	16,154,992	63,737,225
1931 .....	33,556,848	12,807,469	57,173,774
1932 .....	32,525,078	10,943,782	52,604,950
1933 .....	29,890,797	10,977,072	49,485,772
1934 .....	29,485,965	11,293,909	49,446,669
1935 .....	28,714,905	11,708,945	50,048,900
1936 .....	28,374,510	12,947,654	51,398,678
1937 .....	28,729,100	14,034,410	51,666,165
1938 .....	28,185,864	13,443,887	51,808,989
1939 .....	28,150,732	14,550,102	56,365,078
1940 .....	27,237,337	17,361,894	56,768,555
1941 .....	26,805,232	18,285,740	58,666,872
<u>1942</u>			
CANADA ....	27,188,123	15,995,541	57,826,720
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick ..	641,560	685,857	2,497,225
Quebec .....	9,367,900	5,559,078	19,209,037
Ontario .....	16,736,261	9,456,942	35,218,058
Manitoba .....	146,137	111,572	325,539
Alberta and Saskatchewan ..	61,363	26,747	100,427
British Columbia	234,902	155,345	476,434
<u>1943</u>			
CANADA ....	26,804,640	15,553,652	58,023,438
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick ..	582,592	857,314	2,459,346
Quebec .....	9,457,618	5,047,370	19,580,803
Ontario .....	16,348,696	9,345,590	35,131,718
Manitoba .....	141,681	143,465	354,471
Alberta and Saskatchewan ..	55,268	28,201	101,065
British Columbia	218,785	131,712	396,035

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Table 9. - Employees by Sex and Remuneration, by provinces, 1942 and 1943.

Province	Salaried Employees			Wage-earners (Monthly Average)			Total Employees, Salaries, Wages, etc.		
	Total			Total			Salaries		
	Male	Female	Salaries	Male	Female	Wages	No.	No.	\$
<u>1942</u>									
CANADA .....	1,348	936	4,895,713	6,726	14,452	18,616,953	8,074	15,388	23,422,666
Nova Scotia and									
New Brunswick .....	34	15	144,552	289	782	835,110	323	797	979,662
Quebec .....	504	293	1,455,813	3,265	5,002	7,042,498	3,769	5,295	8,498,311
Ontario .....	759	607	3,083,765	3,121	8,432	10,535,454	3,880	9,039	13,619,219
Manitoba .....	25	12	44,806	27	112	103,967	52	124	148,773
Alberta and									
Saskatchewan .....	13	5	20,630	4	31	22,788	17	36	43,418
British Columbia .....	13	4	56,147	20	93	77,136	33	97	133,283
<u>1943</u>									
CANADA .....	1,303	917	5,053,371	6,086	14,038	18,796,615	7,389	14,955	23,849,986
Nova Scotia and									
New Brunswick .....	34	20	139,790	290	776	886,930	324	796	1,026,720
Quebec .....	513	293	1,677,182	2,951	4,996	7,384,135	3,464	5,289	9,061,317
Ontario .....	707	578	3,105,299	2,812	7,993	10,275,973	3,519	8,571	13,381,272
Manitoba .....	22	13	46,398	15	112	103,220	37	125	149,618
Alberta and									
Saskatchewan .....	11	8	23,593	2	24	19,679	13	32	43,072
British Columbia .....	16	5	61,309	18	137	126,678	32	142	187,987

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Table 10. - Principal Statistics of the Hosiery and Knitted Goods Industry,  
1942 and 1943 Grouped According to the Size of Establishment.

Establishment having a production of	Estab- lish- ments	Capital Invested	Em- ployees	Salaries and Wages	Cost of Materials Used	Gross Value of Production
	No.	\$	No.	\$	\$	\$
<b>1942</b>						
Under \$5,000 .....	5	18,501	10	6,490	8,593	<b>14,935</b>
\$5,000 to \$25,000 .....	8	118,234	58	35,326	52,418	107,143
\$25,000 to \$50,000 .....	18	577,492	233	200,445	327,474	690,864
\$50,000 to \$100,000 .....	30	1,357,350	640	592,215	1,156,982	2,178,552
\$100,000 to \$200,000 .....	28	2,742,849	1,194	1,125,072	2,119,817	4,042,409
\$200,000 to \$500,000 .....	48	8,339,323	4,005	3,654,059	6,961,303	14,336,208
\$500,000 to \$1,000,000 ....	28	14,918,888	6,356	6,180,963	9,662,143	20,770,428
\$1,000,000 to \$5,000,000 ...	21	29,754,083	10,966	11,628,096	18,260,686	37,993,887
TOTAL .....	186	<b>57,826,720</b>	23,462	<b>23,422,666</b>	<b>38,550,016</b>	<b>80,134,426</b>
<b>1943</b>						
Under \$5,000 .....	9	119,258	110	70,634	8,524	18,899
\$5,000 to \$25,000 .....	14	291,603	89	76,885	124,950	263,836
\$25,000 to \$50,000 .....	11	399,720	133	128,866	186,575	409,390
\$50,000 to \$100,000 .....	32	1,511,528	628	607,728	1,212,151	2,292,171
\$100,000 to \$500,000 .....	77	11,121,754	5,094	4,987,339	9,555,217	18,827,347
\$500,000 to \$1,000,000 ....	29	16,588,658	6,290	6,673,265	10,167,841	22,432,481
\$1,000,000 to \$5,000,000 ...	19	27,990,917	10,000	11,305,269	17,277,237	35,965,095
TOTAL .....	191	<b>58,023,438</b>	22,344	<b>23,849,986</b>	<b>38,532,495</b>	<b>80,209,219</b>

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Table 11. - Monthly Employment of Wage-earners, 1942 and 1943.

Months	1942			1943		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
January .....	7,194	14,678	21,872	6,329	13,938	20,267
February .....	7,187	14,777	21,964	6,307	14,001	20,308
March .....	7,126	14,909	22,035	6,151	14,039	20,190
April .....	6,924	14,838	21,762	6,063	13,956	20,019
May .....	6,864	14,650	21,514	6,002	13,855	19,857
June .....	6,754	14,583	21,337	6,026	13,929	19,955
July .....	6,682	14,342	21,024	6,043	13,834	19,877
August .....	6,611	14,317	20,928	5,990	13,852	19,842
September .....	6,449	14,145	20,594	5,865	14,052	19,917
October .....	6,347	14,048	20,395	5,943	14,253	20,196
November .....	6,302	14,133	20,435	5,965	14,525	20,490
December .....	6,202	13,914	20,116	6,024	14,211	20,235
MONTHLY AVERAGE .....	6,726	14,452	21,178	6,086	14,038	20,124

Table 12. - Number of Wage-earners with their Regular Hours of Work per Week and Average Weekly Earnings, 1942 and 1943.

Number of Hours Worked per Week	1942		1943	
	Male	Female	Male	Female
	No.	No.	No.	No.
30 hours or less .....	205	875	245	1,410
31 - 43 hours .....	388	2,025	344	2,617
44 hours .....	173	1,105	169	914
45 - 47 hours .....	563	2,332	472	2,088
48 hours .....	1,444	3,106	1,134	2,962
49 - 50 hours .....	1,185	2,839	1,212	2,198
51 - 54 hours .....	1,043	1,849	815	1,342
55 hours .....	1,163	1,190	1,093	1,261
56 - 64 hours .....	789	391	603	113
65 hours and over .....	205	4	252	204
Average hours per week .....	50.5	46.4	50.3	45.0
Average weekly earnings .....	\$24.90	\$14.97	\$27.63	\$15.88

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Table 13. - Power Installation, 1942 and 1943

Classes of Power	1942		1943	
	Number of Units	Rating of Horse-power Capacity	Manufacturers'	Manufacturers'
			Number of Units	Rating of Horse-power Capacity
<b>Steam engines and steam turbines -</b>				
In Use .....	17	2,801	19	3,802
Idle .....	5	1,250	5	1,250
<b>Gasoline, gas and oil engines -</b>				
In use .....	7	762	7	775
Idle .....	1	75	2	87
<b>Hydraulic turbines or water wheels -</b>				
In use .....	18	2,569	18	2,569
Idle .....	-	-	-	-
<b>Electric motors operated by purchased power -</b>				
In use .....	4,821	12,939	4,994	13,491
Idle .....	149	958	159	1,014
<b>TOTAL POWER USED IN MANUFACTURING .....</b>	<b>5,018</b>	<b>21,354</b>	<b>5,204</b>	<b>22,988</b>
<b>Electric motors operated by power generated by the establishment -</b>				
In use .....	592	4,427	775	3,770
Idle .....	-	-	18	1,574
<b>TOTAL ELECTRIC MOTORS .</b>	<b>5,562</b>	<b>18,324</b>	<b>5,946</b>	<b>19,349</b>
<b>Boiler installation -</b>				
In use .....	124	12,064	127	11,579
Idle .....	20	2,335	9	920

Table 14. - Consumption of Fuel and Electricity, 1942 and 1943.

Kinds of Fuel	Unit of Measure	1942		1943	
		Quantity	Cost Value at Factory	Quantity	Cost Value at Factory
Coal -	Ton		\$		\$
Bituminous .....	(2000 lb.)	87,291	685,215	91,621	770,469
Anthracite .....	"	659	6,210	1,922	16,699
Coke (for fuel only) .....	"	36	529	48	494
Gasoline .....	Imp.Gal.	4,994	1,681	3,625	1,210
Kerosene or coal oil .....	" "	51	12	51	11
Fuel or diesel oil .....	" "	65,343	4,718	1,650	231
Wood .....	Cord	1,417	5,149	1,046	6,638
Gas, manufactured .....	M cu.ft.	10,990	9,216	6,182	6,377
Gas, natural .....	M cu.ft.	14,347	6,889	12,211	5,935
Other fuel .....	-	-	23,812	-	15,427
<b>TOTAL COST OF FUEL .....</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>741,431</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>823,491</b>
Electricity purchased (including service charges)	Kw. H.	25,329,318	357,782	28,093,315	348,456
<b>TOTAL COST OF FUEL AND ELECTRICITY</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>1,099,213</b>		<b>1,171,947</b>

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Table 15. - Mechanical Equipment, 1942 and 1943.

	1 9 4 2	1 9 4 3
	No.	No.
<b>Sets of Cards -</b>		
Woollen .....	116	116
Cotton .....	42	41
Shoddy .....	13	12
<b>Width of Cards -</b>		
40 inches .....	42	42
48 inches .....	91	91
54 inches .....	1	1
60 inches .....	36	34
66 inches .....	1	1
<b>Cylinders to each set of cards -</b>		
1 cylinder .....	35	35
2 cylinders .....	4	4
3 cylinders .....	94	93
4 cylinders .....	36	35
5 cylinders .....	2	2
<b>Spindles - (x)</b>		
<b>Mule spinning -</b>		
Woollen .....	37,476	37,036
Worsted .....	1,300	1,300
Cotton .....	1,704	1,704
Shoddy .....	3,162	3,162
<b>Frame spinning -</b>		
Woollen .....	464	680
Worsted .....	10,528	10,528
Cotton .....	16,462	15,952
Silk and artificial silk .....	13,800	14,666

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Table 15. - Mechanical Equipment, 1942 and 1943 - (Concluded)

	1 9 4 2	1 9 4 3
	No.	No.
<b>Spindles - (Concluded)</b>		
Double and Twisting -		
Woollen .....	1,790	1,752
Worsted .....	4,338	4,338
Shoddy .....	160	160
Cotton .....	160	-
Silk .....	3,900	3,500
Artificial silk .....	10,216	12,526
Broad Looms -		
Woollen .....	93	93
Narrow Looms -		
Silk .....	-	16
Knitting Machines -		
Hosiery -		
Circuler (ladies') .....	2,143	2,148
" (men's) .....	3,513	3,527
" (children's) .....	1,799	1,780
" (other) .....	489	560
Full-fashioned .....	1,238	1,263
Full-fashioned (single unit) .....	211	216
Underwear, Outerwear, etc. -		
Circular, ribbed .....	3,022	3,097
" springbeard (loop wheel) ....	1,157	1,145
" " (other) .....	950	962
Flat bed (power) .....	1,134	1,126
Flat bed (hand machines) .....	389	371
Warp knit .....	140	99

(x) An additional 3,100 spindles were reported as winding, etc. in 1943.

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LIST OF FIRMS MANUFACTURING HOSIERY AND KNITTED GOODS, 1943.

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Street</u>	<u>Address</u>
"Lewis Limited" (Hosiery Division)	62 Elm Street	Truro
Stanfield's Limited	Logan Street	Truro
Nova Scotia Textiles Ltd.		Windsor

NEW BRUNSWICK

Fergusson Atlantic Underwear, Ltd.	Church Street	Moncton
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QUEBEC

Penmans Ltd. (Mill No. 5)	412 Heriot Street	Coaticook
The Butterfly Hosiery Co., Ltd.		Drummondville
Weldrest Hosiery Ltd.		Farnham
Nordic Hosiery Ltd.	80 Dennison Ave.	Granby
Grand'Mere Knitting Co., Ltd.	P. O. Box 70	Grand'Mere
Hudson Hosiery Co., Ltd.		Hudson
The Hanson Hosiery Co.	82 Front St.	Hull
The Canadian Knitting Limited	6 Alice St.	Joliette
Dominion Knitting Co., Ltd.	159 St. Paul St.	Joliette
Northern Woollens Ltd.	159 St. Paul St.	Joliette
Levis Knitting Mills Reg'd.	58 Cote du Passage	Levis
Knitters, Ltd.		Marieville
Rouville Knitting Co., Ltd.	143 Lagauchetiere St. W.	Marieville
American Knitters Ltd.	303 St. Paul St. W.	Montreal
Art Knitting Mills Reg'd.	1455 Shearer St.	Montreal
Belding-Corticelli Ltd.	2050 St. Lawrence Blvd.	Montreal
Berman Knitting Mills Co.		Montreal
Biron Knitting Mills Ltd.	4060 St. Lawrence Blvd.	Berthierville
Black Mfg. Co.	83 St. Agathe St.	Montreal
Bonneville-Smith Ltd.	1114 Beaubien St. E.	Montreal
Cadet Hosiery Mills Ltd.	78 Turgeon St.	Montreal
The Celtic Knitting Co., Ltd.	4060 St. Lawrence Blvd.	Montreal
Cooper Knitting Mills, Reg'd.	3981 St. Lawrence Blvd.	Montreal
Davis Knit Reg'd.	15 Mt. Royal Ave. W.	Montreal
Elby Rib Knitting Mills	1604 St. Lawrence Blvd.	Montreal
Empire Knitting Co.	486 St. Catherine St. W.	Montreal
The Fainer Knitting Mills Ltd.	4530 Clark St.	Montreal
Formcraft Fabrics Ltd.	77 Vitre St.	Montreal
The Glove Knitters Inc.	4520 de la Roche St.	Montreal
Goodwear Hosiery Mills Ltd.		Montreal
Grover Mills Ltd., and Knit-to-Fit	2025 Parthenais St.	Montreal
Manufacturing Co.	4052 St. Lawrence Blvd.	Montreal
Harris Knitting Mills Ltd.	3510 St. Lawrence Blvd.	Montreal
Infant Knit Mfg. Co.	4060 St. Lawrence Blvd.	Montreal
Knit Craft Mills	745 Guy St.	Montreal

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Street</u>	<u>Address</u>
The Massey Knitting Co. Ltd.	2074 Beaudry St.	Montreal
E. H. Pageau	2106 Plessis St.	Montreal
Pedigree Knitwear Mfg. Co. Ltd.	6407 Boyer St.	Montreal
Perlix Hosiery Mills Ltd.	2025 Desjardins St.	Montreal
Rose Knitting Mills Ltd.	4530 Clarke St.	Montreal
Smartknit Goods Mfg. Co.	940 Inspector St.	Montreal
Sporting Knit Co., Ltd.	205 Vitre St. W.	Montreal
Tip-Top Knitters	4257 St. Lawrence Blvd.	Montreal
La Cie de Tricot de Nicolet Ltee.		Nicolet
LaSalle Knitting Ltd.	Savoie St.	Plessisville
Somerset Knitting Mills Ltd.	17 rue Savoie	Plessisville
National Hosiery Mills Ltd.		Richmond
York Knitting Mills, Ltd. (Richmond Division)		Richmond
Le Tricot Champlain Enrg.		Ste. Anne de la Perade
E. Dalcourt		St. Felix de Valois
Acme Underwear Reg'd.	470 St. Joseph St.	St. Hyacinthe
Canadian United States Knitting Co.	990 Morrison St.	St. Hyacinthe
Gotham Hosiery Co. of Canada, Ltd.		St. Hyacinthe
Penmans Ltd. (Mill No. 8)	Girouard St.	St. Hyacinthe
The Victory Hosiery Mills Reg'd.	2445 Notre Dame St. W.	St. Hyacinthe
Laurentian Textile Co. Ltd.		St. Jerome
The Regent Knitting Mills Ltd.	Castonguay St.	St. Jerome
C. J. Grenier & Co.	103 St. Joseph Blvd.	St. Johns
St. Johns Silk Co. Ltd.	150 Frontenac St.	St. Johns
Bonneterie Ste. Martine		Ste. Martine
Canadian Silk Products, Ltd.	Drummond St.	Sherbrooke
Julius Kayser and Co. Ltd.	Frontenac St.	Sherbrooke
Quebec Ryon Mills Ltd.	97 Frontenac St.	Sherbrooke
Sheer Silk Hosiery Mills Ltd.	Abenaquis St.	Sherbrooke
Tricotex Company Limited	104 Laurier Ave.	Sherbrooke
Richelieu Knitting Reg'd.	47 Victoria St.	Sorel

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The Mason Knitting Co. Limited	Guelph St.	Acton
Brampton Knitting Mills	60 Queen St. E.	Brampton
The Watson Mfg. Co. Ltd. (Mill 10)	Grand River Ave.	Brantford
Burritts Rapids Woollen Mills, Ltd.		Burritts Rapids
Bates and Innes Ltd.		Carleton Place
The Clinton Knitting Co. Ltd.	58 Mary St.	Clinton
Richmond Hosiery Ltd.		Clinton
S. Lennard and Sons, Ltd.	154 King St. W.	Dundas
Bonnie Heather Knitwear		Dunnville
The Monarch Knitting Co. Ltd.		Dunnville
The Galt Knitting Co. Ltd.	34-38 Water St. S.	Galt
The C. Turnbull Co. Ltd.	104 Water St. N.	Galt
Brill Hosiery Mills	Water St.	Georgetown

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Street</u>	<u>Address</u>
Lavoie Knitting Co.		Georgetown
Jos. Beaumont		Glen Williams
Holeproof Hosiery Co. of Canada Ltd.		Goderich
The Royal Knitting Co. Ltd.		Guelph
The Chipman Holton Knitting Co. Ltd.		Hamilton
The Eaton Knitting Co. Ltd.		Hamilton
M Hinde Knitting Co.		Hamilton
Mercury Mills Ltd.		Hamilton
J. R. Moodie Co. Ltd.		Hamilton
National Hosiery Mills and Real Silk Hosiery Mills of Canada, Ltd.	41 Norwich St. 122 Mary St. 71-81 John St. N. 594 Ottawa St. N. Balsam and Cumberland Ave. 735 King St. E.	Hamilton Hamilton Hamilton Hamilton Hamilton
Prospect Knitting Co.	230 Dundurn St. S. 238 Avondale Ave.	Hamilton Hamilton
York Knitting Mills Ltd. (Zimmerknit Division)	330 Dundurn St. S.	Hamilton
Allen Brothers Co. Ltd.	Victoria St.	Hanover
Day-Smith, Ltd.		Hespeler
McMurphy & Co. (Huttonville Woollen Mills)		Huttonville
The Circle Bar Knitting Co. Ltd.	Lane St.	Kincardine
The Barrie Glove and Knitting Co. Ltd.	40 Ontario St. S.	Kitchener
Dominion Rubber Co. Ltd. (Textile Div.)	84 Margaret Ave.	Kitchener
Swiss Knit	40 Ontario St. S.	Kitchener
Holeproof Hosiery Co. of Canada, Ltd.	203 Bathurst St.	London
London Hosiery Mills Ltd.	Adelaide St.	London
Penmans Ltd.	King and Thames Sts.	London
Richmond Hosiery Ltd.	349 Ridout St.	London
Supersilk Hosiery Mills Ltd.	Florence and Eleanor Sts.	London
Model Knitting Mills		Milton
Scotsmoor Textiles Ltd.		Milverton
Richmond Hosiery Ltd.		Mitchell
Weldrest Hosiery Ltd.	70 Buttonwood Ave.	Mount Dennis
Waterloo Lingerie		New Hamburg
Dods Knitting Co. Ltd.	Centre St.	Orangeville
The Schofield Woollen Co. Ltd.		Oshawa
The Circle Bar Knitting Co. Ltd.		Owen Sound
Penmans Ltd. (Mill No. 1)		Paris
Penmans Ltd. (Mill No. 2)		Paris
Penmans Ltd. (Mill No. 3)		Paris
The Code Felt and Knitting Co. Ltd.	Herriot St.	Perth
Albion Knitting Co. Ltd.	Cor. Park and Murray Sts.	Peterborough
Norfolk Knitters		Port Dover
Simplex Textiles Ltd.	Walker St.	Prescott
Superior Silk Mills Ltd.	34 Page St.	Prescott
The Monarch Knitting Co. Ltd.	333-341 St. Paul St.	St. Catharines
Warren Bros. Ltd.	Head and Stanley St.	St. Catharines
British Knitwear Ltd.	82 Erie St.	Simcoe
The Avon Knit Ltd.	Front St.	Stratford
R. M. Ballantyne Ltd.	82 Erie St.	Stratford
Robertson Knitting Mills Ltd.	82 Erie St.	Stratford
Slenderknit Sportswear		Stratford

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Name	Street	Address
The Williams-Trow Knitting Co. Ltd.	125 Erie St.	Stratford
J. G. Field and Son		Tavistock
Ace Knitting Company	1244 Dundas St. W.	Toronto
Adams Knitting Co.	171 John St.	Toronto
J. M. Allen	862 Richmond St. W.	Toronto
Atlas Sales	8 Palmerston Sq.	Toronto
Beaunit Mills Ltd.	176 John St.	Toronto
Bell Knitting Mills	91 Centre Ave.	Toronto
Canadian Hosiery Mfg. Co.	312 Adelaide St. W.	Toronto
H. V. Cowie Co. Ltd.	22 Front St. W.	Toronto
Henry Davis and Co. Ltd.	259 Spadina Ave.	Toronto
Dominion Knitting Mills Ltd.	372 Richmond St. W.	Toronto
Dorothea Hats Limited	268 King St. W.	Toronto
Dupont Textiles, Ltd.	672 Dupont St.	Toronto
Edward Hosiery Mills	Crawford at Bloor St.	Toronto
Elco Ltd.	86 John St.	Toronto
Fashion Knitting Co.	80 Nelson St.	Toronto
Gilchrist Manufacturing Co.	443 King St. W.	Toronto
Glenayr-Knit Ltd.	1801 Danforth Ave.	Toronto
Goodyear Knitting Co.	651 Queen St. E.	Toronto
Herbert Hosiery Mills of Canada, Ltd.	425 Coxwell Ave.	Toronto 8
Houlding Knitwear	182 Spadina Ave.	Toronto
Ideal Knitting Mills Ltd.	49 Bathurst St.	Toronto 2
Jersey's Limited	455 King St. W.	Toronto
Kingsley Companies	192 Bay St.	Toronto
Koenig Knitting Mills	628 King St. W.	Toronto
McGregor Hosiery Mills	49 Bathurst St.	Toronto
Mahaffy Bros.	15 Winchester St.	Toronto
Model Knitting Mills	179-189 John St.	Toronto
Ontario Hosiery Mfg. Co.	690 King St. W.	Toronto
Ontario Silknit Ltd.	590 King St. W.	Toronto
Passmore Novelty Knitting Co.	284-286 King St. W.	Toronto
Puretex Knitting Co.	426 Queen St. E.	Toronto
R. and F. Knitting Co.	80 Wellington St. W.	Toronto
Rennie Industries Ltd.	321 Weston Rd. S.	Toronto
Royal Knitting Co.	260 Spadina Ave.	Toronto
The Scott Knitting Co.	734 Yonge St.	Toronto
Sheridan Hosiery Ltd.	90 Chestnut St.	Toronto
Joseph Simpson Sons Ltd.	8 Berkeley St.	Toronto
Star Knitting Mills Co. Ltd.	92 Sherbourne St.	Toronto
Supreme Knitting Mills Ltd.	43 Davies Ave.	Toronto
Tease Knitting Co. Ltd.	895 Lansdowne Ave.	Toronto
Textile Knitting Mills Ltd.	201 Weston Road	Toronto
York Knitting Mills Ltd., (Toronto Hosiery Division)	110 Sudbury St.	Toronto
Vienna Knitting Mills	129 Spadina Ave.	Toronto
Hood Knit Limited		Vittoria
York Knitting Mills Ltd., (Harvey-Woods Underwear Division)		Woodstock
York Knitting Mills Ltd., (Hosiers Ltd.)	16 Vansittart Ave.	Woodstock
E. E. Paquette and Sons	311 Dundas St.	Woodstock

THE HOSIERY AND KNITTED GOODS INDUSTRY IN CANADA, 1943.

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Street</u>	<u>Address</u>
Cambridge Knitwear Mills Ltd.	70 Arthur St.	Winnipeg
Dominion Knitting and Mfg. Co. Ltd.	54 Adelaide St.	Winnipeg
Master Supply Co.	197 Princess St.	Winnipeg
Rice Knitting Co. Ltd.	168 Market Ave., E.	Winnipeg
Standard Knitting Co. Ltd.	387 Dufferin Ave.	Winnipeg

SASKATCHEWAN

Western Knitting Mills	Halifax and 13th Ave.	Regina
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ALBERTA

Caldwell Knitting Co. Ltd.	200 Traders Bldg., 1st St. W. and 12th Ave.	Calgary
Logan Garment Ltd.	314 - 8th St.	Lethbridge

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Bellhouse, Charles	1446 W. 8th Ave.	Vancouver
Jantzen Knitting Mills of Canada Ltd.	196 Kingsway	Vancouver
Pride of the West Knitting Mills Ltd.	81 Robson St.	Vancouver

SECTION 3. -- THE FABRIC GLOVE AND MITTEN INDUSTRY IN CANADA, 1943.

In 1943 the fourteen establishments reporting operations in the fabric glove and mitten industry produced goods worth \$1,852,072, or about 15.3 per cent more than in 1942. They employed 611 persons, an increase of about 6.8 per cent, paid out in salaries and wages the sum of \$509,988 and expended \$907,060 on materials. Capital invested totalled \$705,855.

Production of cotton work gloves was 605,743 doz. pr. in 1943 as against 609,299 doz. pr. in 1942. Dress gloves were produced to the extent of 85,558 doz. pr. in 1943 compared with 68,833 doz. pr. in 1942.

Table 16. - Principal Statistics for representative years 1928 to 1943.

Year and Provinces	Establishments	Capital Invested	Employees	Salaries and Wages	Cost of Materials Used	Gross Value of Production
	No.	\$	No.	\$	\$	\$
1928 .....	7	1,013,932	383	305,802	450,082	1,048,979
1929 .....	9	1,615,111	561	421,025	754,997	1,597,692
1930 .....	9	1,310,126	405	312,034	528,586	1,075,107
1931 .....	9	1,019,082	328	219,692	373,700	759,341
1932 .....	8	554,933	173	113,183	176,345	360,579
1933 .....	8	631,051	212	126,582	201,177	387,447
1934 .....	8	626,510	235	149,896	287,544	538,764
1935 .....	8	564,990	256	154,852	309,024	539,451
1936 .....	9	572,208	284	173,197	352,028	637,154
1937 .....	9	655,539	329	215,954	443,270	793,935
1938 .....	10	523,045	283	198,529	379,432	709,412
1939 (x) .....	8	290,157	172	120,477	254,435	500,340
1940 .....	9	361,836	213	168,458	364,073	649,545
1941 .....	11	512,329	376	286,238	539,337	1,005,319
<u>1942</u>						
CANADA .....	14	706,709	572	421,742	822,759	1,606,389
Ontario .....	6	268,272	192	151,569	301,194	620,400
Quebec, Manitoba and British Columbia .....	8	438,437	380	270,173	521,565	985,989
<u>1943</u>						
CANADA .....	14	705,855	611	509,988	907,060	1,852,072
Ontario .....	7	283,924	211	199,485	301,134	693,357
Quebec and British Columbia .....	7	421,931	400	310,503	605,926	1,158,715

(x) The decrease apparent in 1939 is due chiefly to changes in classification, etc., and not to curtailed operations.

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Table 17. - Comparison of Principal Statistics, 1942 and 1943.

Items	1942	1943	+ Increase	- Decrease
Establishments reporting .....	No. 14	14	-	-
Capital invested .....	\$ 706,709	705,855	-	854
Employees on salaries -				
Total .....	No. 53	71	+	18
Male .....	No. 36	45	+	9
Female .....	No. 17	26	+	9
Total salaries .....	\$ 105,859	106,015	+	156
Employees on wages -				
Monthly average .....	No. 519	540	+	21
Male .....	No. 67	74	+	7
Female .....	No. 452	466	+	14
Total wages .....	\$ 315,883	403,973	+	88,090
Power equipment -				
Units .....	No. 63	66	+	3
Horse-power capacity .....	H.P. 244	248	+	4
Cost of fuel and electricity ....	\$ 8,556	9,174	+	618
Cost of materials used .....	\$ 822,759	907,060	+	84,301
Gross value of production .....	\$ 1,606,389	1,852,072	+	245,683

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Table 18. - Production, 1942 and 1943.

Principal Products	Unit of Measure	1942		1943	
		Quantity	Selling Value at Factory	Quantity	Selling Value at Factory
<b>GLOVES AND MITTENS</b>					
Dress, men's, women's and children's .....	Doz. Pr.	68,833	440,232	85,558	596,628
Work, men's, women's, and children's -	" "	609,299	1,064,965	605,743	1,085,589
Cotton .....	" "	-	24,883	-	54,545
All other products .....	-	-	76,309	-	115,310
<b>TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS .....</b>	-		<b>1,606,389</b>	-	<b>1,852,072</b>

For the total production of fabric gloves in this as well as the hosiery and knitted goods industry, see Table 2.

Table 19. - Materials Used, 1942 and 1943.

Principal Materials	Unit of Measure	1942		1943	
		Quantity	Cost Value at Factory	Quantity	Cost Value at Factory
<b>Thread .....</b>					
Thread .....	-	-	24,655	-	30,626
<b>Fabrics -</b>					
Canton .....	Yard	1,092,311	226,488	1,210,783	267,677
Cotton .....	"	1,093,010	245,742	1,044,327	198,132
Jersey .....	-	222,112	121,818	377,061	212,713
Other .....	-	-	27,942	-	8,810
Leather .....	-	-	67,193	-	109,273
Elastic webbing .....	Yard	269,565	16,311	176,571	10,765
Tubing and welting .....	Pound	57,071	28,448	38,890	20,445
All other materials .....	-	-	34,902	-	27,486
Packing and shipping materials ..	-	-	29,260	-	21,133
<b>TOTAL COST OF MATERIALS USED ....</b>	-	-	<b>822,759</b>	-	<b>907,060</b>

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Table 20. - Capital Invested for representative years, 1926 to 1943.

Year and Provinces	Fixed Capital	Working 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 on hand	Cash trading and operating accounts, etc.	Total Capital
	\$	\$	\$	\$
1926 .....	730,467	507,225	176,198	1,413,890
1928 .....	473,387	391,315	149,230	1,013,932
1929 .....	860,163	551,818	203,130	1,615,111
1931 .....	622,196	260,247	136,639	1,019,082
1932 .....	322,640	142,842	89,451	554,933
1933 .....	344,885	166,196	119,970	631,051
1934 .....	337,676	157,556	131,278	626,510
1935 .....	251,741	166,850	146,399	564,990
1936 .....	231,048	139,778	201,382	572,208
1937 .....	251,341	193,070	211,128	655,539
1938 .....	212,950	176,102	133,993	523,045
1939 .....	114,530	76,738	98,889	290,157
1940 .....	121,440	162,219	78,177	361,836
1941 .....	167,908	233,609	110,812	512,329
<u>1942</u>				
CANADA .....	186,278	332,146	188,285	706,709
Ontario .....	82,967	132,495	52,810	268,272
Quebec, Manitoba and British Columbia .	103,311	199,651	135,475	438,437
<u>1943</u>				
CANADA .....	187,664	282,637	235,554	705,855
Ontario .....	85,032	125,684	73,208	283,924
Quebec and British Columbia .....	102,632	156,953	162,346	421,931

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Table 21. - Employees by Sex and Remuneration, 1941 to 1943.

		1941	1942	1943
<b>Salaried Employees -</b>				
Total .....	No.	35	53	71
Male .....	No.	26	36	45
Female .....	No.	9	17	26
Total salaries .....	\$	77,981	105,859	106,015
<b>Wage-earners -</b>				
Monthly average .....	No.	341	519	540
Male .....	No.	49	67	74
Female .....	No.	292	452	466
Total wages .....	\$	208,257	315,883	403,973
<b>All Employees -</b>				
Total .....	No.	376	572	611
Male .....	No.	75	103	119
Female .....	No.	301	469	492
Total salaries and wages .....		286,238	421,742	509,988

Table 22. - Monthly Employment of Wage-earners, 1941 to 1943.

Months	1941			1942			1943		
	Male Female Total			Male Female Total			Male Female Total		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
January .....	45	214	259	59	427	486	67	470	537
February .....	48	222	270	61	441	502	71	467	538
March .....	47	236	283	65	452	517	71	475	546
April .....	46	236	282	65	465	530	75	476	551
May .....	48	258	306	64	448	512	76	473	549
June .....	48	279	327	63	453	516	77	476	553
July .....	50	303	353	64	449	513	81	458	539
August .....	47	331	378	64	448	512	72	452	524
September .....	44	345	389	63	440	503	67	454	521
October .....	51	354	405	68	466	534	71	467	538
November .....	52	371	423	72	466	538	74	467	541
December .....	54	361	415	74	465	539	78	448	526
MONTHLY AVERAGE .....	49	292	341	67	452	519	74	466	540

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Table 23. - Number of Wage-earners in the Month of highest Employment, with their Regular Hours of Work and Average Weekly Earnings, 1943.

Number of Hours Worked per Week	Number of Employees		Number of Hours Worked per Week	Number of Employees	
	Male	Female		Male	Female
30 hours or less....	5	26	51-54 hours .....	5	39
31-43 hours .....	2	45	55 hours .....	25	119
44 hours .....	21	110	56-64 hours .....	-	-
45-47 hours .....	10	61	65 hours and over	-	-
48 hours .....	6	64	Average hours per week .....		
49 - 50 hours ....	6	39	Average weekly earnings .....	47.6	46.8
				\$21.83	\$14.87

The above table includes overtime.

Table 24. - Power Installation, 1942 and 1943.

Classes of Power	1942		1943	
	Number of Units	Manufacturers' Rating of Horse-power Capacity	Number of Units	Manufacturers' Rating of Horse-power Capacity
Electric motors operated by purchased power -				
In use .....	62	239	66	248
Idle .....	1	5	-	-
TOTAL POWER USED IN MANUFACTURING .....	63	244	66	248

Table 25. - Consumption of Fuel and Electricity, 1942 and 1943.

Kinds of Fuel	Unit of Measure	1942		1943	
		Quantity	Cost Value at Factory \$	Quantity	Cost Value at Factory \$
Coal -	Ton				
Bituminous .....	(2000 lb.)	188	1,720	243	2,339
Anthracite .....	" "	25	368	33	495
Wood .....	Cord	5	40	8	102
Natural gas .....	M. cu. ft.	158	210	332	234
TOTAL COST OF FUEL .....	-	-	2,338	-	3,170
Electricity purchased (including service charges)	Kw. H.	270,177	6,218	300,519	6,004
TOTAL COST OF FUEL AND ELECTRICITY .....	-	-	8,556	-	9,174

THE FABRIC GLOVE AND MITTEN INDUSTRY IN CANADA, 1943.

LIST OF FIRMS MANUFACTURING FABRIC GLOVES AND MITTENS, 1943

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Street</u>	<u>Address</u>
The B.B. Glove Manufacturing Co. Ltd.		Ayer's Cliff
Dominion Glove Co. Ltd.		Beebe
La Cie Franco Canadienne de Luxe	2047 rue Victoria	Montreal
The Eastern Textile Co.	435 Mondor St.	St. Hyacinthe
St. Raymond Glove Works		St. Raymond
Morgan-Perrin Company	140 Laurier Ave.	Sherbrooke

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The American Pad and Textile Co.	Queen Street	Chatham
Wool Products	71 Ross St.	St. Thomas
The Fabric Glove Co.	18 John St.	Toronto
Industrial Textile Mfg. Co.	18 John St.	Toronto
Waterford Glove Works		Waterford
Fitwell Glove & Manufacturing Co.	925 Drouillard Rd.	Windsor
Windsor Textiles Limited	1371 Tecumseh Rd. E.	Windsor

BRITISH COLUMBIA

D. Paterson Glove Co.	316 West Cordova St.	Vancouver
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