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Section I. — General Review

An increased number of Power Laundries and Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments reporting to the annual census for 1940 showed total receipts of \$26,775,841 for this industry. Slightly more than \$13,100,000 was paid to employees of 530 plants in Canada; materials and supplies used in washing and cleaning processes cost \$2,965,125; fuel and electricity cost \$1,217,779, while the collection and delivery of bundles (exclusive of salaries paid to drivers) added \$1,680,000 to the cost of operation.

The 10 largest cities in Canada reported 271 plants having receipts of nearly 19½ millions of dollars or approximately 73 per cent of the total. Ontario reported 258 plants with annual receipts of \$11,062,424 or nearly \$1,500,000 more than in 1939; Quebec with 85 plants reported annual receipts totalling \$7,439,805. British Columbia had 61 plants and \$2,760,658 receipts. Alberta had 30 plants and \$1,295,651 receipts; 26 plants in Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia did business to the extent of \$983,091; 25 plants in Manitoba had receipts of \$1,934,438; Saskatchewan had 23 plants and \$761,963 receipts, while New Brunswick reported 22 plants with receipts of \$537,811.

Although more plants are engaged in dry cleaning than in laundry work, these are generally smaller. More than half of the total receipts or over \$14,000,000 was for laundry work. According to service performed, 55.6 per cent of this total was for finished laundry, 13.3 per cent for semi-finished service, 10.9 per cent for damp-flat, and 10.4 per cent for wet wash. Coat and towel supply service accounted for the remainder or 9.8 per cent. The total amount received for dry cleaning was \$12,730,373 of which 70.0 per cent was paid for the cleaning of suits and dresses, 11.7 per cent for cleaning curtains, carpets and household goods, 2.9 per cent for the cleaning and storage of furs, 6.0 per cent for dyeing and 9.4 per cent for all other cleaning processes.

Male and female employees required to operate the laundries and cleaning plants averaged 15,508 and the total annual payroll was \$13,112,465, just under 50

per cent of the total receipts for all work performed.

The estimated present value of 2,152 delivery trucks required for the handling of goods was nearly \$1,476,000. The total cost of operation of these units was \$4,190,000, of which \$2,510,000 represented salaries and wages paid to drivers and salesmen. Other expenses such as depreciation, repairs, gas, oil, etc., amounted to \$1,680,000.

Coal and fuel used in providing steam and power for plants in this industry for 1940 cost \$1,025,611, while light and electric power cost \$320,570, a substantial increase in each case over 1939 being reported.

The largest single item in cost of materials was packing supplies. The total cost of wrapping papers, twine, hampers, bags, etc., amounted to \$592,702. Over 4,000,000 pounds of soaps costing \$370,000 were used along with 2,500,000 pounds of sodas costing \$90,000, 5,000,000 pounds of salt costing \$42,000, and 615,000 pounds of starches costing \$54,000; cleaning solvents used cost \$439,454, and wash nets and pads and coverings for presses and ironers cost \$230,538.

Table 1.--Principal Statistics of Power Laundries, Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments in Canada, 1927 to 1940

Year and Provinces	Plants	Capital Employed	Em- ployees	Salaries and Wages	Cost of Materials	Value of Work Performed
	No.	\$	No.	\$	\$	\$
1927	338	15,980,744	9,173	8,280,581	1,795,101	17,428,037
1928	357	19,313,880	10,739	9,640,318	2,182,572	20,514,630
1929	357	22,391,213	11,739	10,926,804	2,350,162	23,041,778
1930	368	24,086,269	11,885	11,249,945	2,196,139	22,695,880
1931	407	25,621,564	11,772	10,671,615	1,968,029	21,024,684
1932	409	24,893,114	11,170	9,020,441	1,587,586	17,302,779
1933	411	23,581,811	10,528	7,882,389	1,399,646	15,239,981
1934	411	23,716,700	10,376	7,914,089	1,463,432	15,602,612
1935	416	22,767,558	10,752	8,339,134	1,738,936	16,311,261
1936	420	22,075,935	11,568	9,109,548	1,984,734	18,328,345
1937	418	22,119,572	12,551	10,171,710	2,259,265	20,343,152
1938	462	23,904,823	13,302	10,919,398	2,542,215	21,728,830
<u>1939</u>						
CANADA	502	24,405,615	14,212	11,749,858	2,652,329	22,926,474
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia ..	27	878,799	516	378,176	84,095	808,296
New Brunswick	20	375,427	266	200,281	46,824	466,381
Quebec	82	5,671,140	3,702	2,985,741	713,135	5,912,756
Ontario	234	10,964,235	6,038	5,014,254	1,056,725	9,571,360
Manitoba	26	1,628,788	1,047	900,674	255,355	1,765,032
Saskatchewan	22	760,791	350	287,632	85,771	642,042
Alberta	28	1,266,889	710	615,250	135,413	1,169,785
British Columbia and Yukon	63	2,859,546	1,583	1,367,850	275,011	2,590,822
<u>1940</u>						
CANADA	530	24,863,328	15,508	13,112,465	2,965,125	26,775,841
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia ..	26	1,170,703	609	454,061	94,481	983,091
New Brunswick	22	438,014	312	232,613	56,938	537,811
Quebec	85	5,699,909	4,047	3,326,404	757,811	7,439,805
Ontario	258	11,116,278	6,594	5,671,008	1,188,929	11,062,424
Manitoba	25	1,628,484	1,126	980,046	307,388	1,934,438
Saskatchewan	23	741,050	405	335,278	110,466	761,963
Alberta	30	1,257,483	732	665,984	166,018	1,295,651
British Columbia and Yukon	61	2,811,407	1,683	1,447,071	283,094	2,760,658

Table 2.--Work Performed by Power Laundries and Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments,
Canada, 1931-1938 and by Provinces 1939 and 1940

Year and Province	Total Work Performed		Laundry Work		Dyeing & Cleaning of Garments		Other Dyeing & Cleaning Work (1)		All Other Work	
	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%
1931	21,024,684	100.0	13,650,523	64.9	6,812,927	32.4	531,600	2.5	29,634	0.2
1932	17,302,779	100.0	11,333,248	65.5	5,191,140	30.0	643,362	3.7	125,039	0.8
1933	15,239,981	100.0	9,399,685	61.7	5,114,012	33.6	650,230	4.3	76,054	0.4
1934	15,602,612	100.0	9,438,200	60.5	5,628,573	36.1	396,064	2.5	139,775	0.9
1935	16,311,261	100.0	9,561,993	58.6	5,940,512	36.4	470,945	2.9	337,811	2.1
1936	18,328,345	100.0	10,273,885	56.1	6,916,280	37.7	728,556	4.0	409,624	2.2
1937	20,343,152	100.0	11,135,335	54.7	7,879,899	38.8	742,190	3.6	585,728	2.9
1938	21,728,830	100.0	11,374,415	52.3	8,548,655	39.4	1,063,174	4.9	742,586	3.4
1939										
CANADA	22,926,474	100.0	11,941,451	52.1	9,377,420	40.9	851,503	3.7	756,100	3.3
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia ..	808,296	100.0	457,608	56.6	303,984	37.6	18,258	2.3	28,446	3.5
New Brunswick	466,381	100.0	277,938	59.6	183,333	39.3	4,800	1.0	310	0.1
Quebec	5,912,756	100.0	3,351,009	56.7	2,039,585	34.5	313,472	5.3	208,690	3.5
Ontario	9,571,360	100.0	4,610,495	48.2	4,331,501	45.3	339,408	3.5	289,956	3.0
Manitoba	1,765,032	100.0	769,592	43.6	817,216	46.3	86,629	4.9	91,595	5.2
Saskatchewan	642,042	100.0	261,260	40.7	324,185	50.5	2,305	0.4	54,292	8.4
Alberta	1,169,785	100.0	524,049	44.8	592,546	50.6	11,411	1.0	41,779	3.6
British Columbia (2)	2,590,822	100.0	1,689,500	65.2	785,070	30.3	75,220	2.9	41,032	1.6
1940										
CANADA	26,775,841	100.0	13,895,526	51.9	10,470,384	39.1	1,143,023	4.3	1,266,908	4.7
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia ..	983,091	100.0	537,804	54.8	380,674	38.7	31,729	3.2	32,884	3.3
New Brunswick	537,811	100.0	316,628	58.6	217,872	40.4	2,995	0.5	316	0.5
Quebec	7,439,805	100.0	4,252,950	57.2	2,220,049	29.8	350,917	4.7	615,889	8.3
Ontario	11,062,424	100.0	5,207,844	47.1	5,019,197	45.4	470,268	4.3	365,115	3.2
Manitoba	1,934,438	100.0	936,839	48.5	689,521	35.6	203,055	10.5	105,023	5.4
Saskatchewan	761,963	100.0	308,149	40.4	361,966	47.5	16,536	2.2	75,312	9.9
Alberta	1,295,651	100.0	578,089	44.6	650,522	50.2	23,867	1.9	43,173	3.3
British Columbia (2)	2,760,658	100.0	1,757,223	63.7	930,583	33.7	43,656	1.6	29,196	1.0

(1) Curtains, carpets, feathers, etc. (2) Includes Yukon.

Table 3.--Distribution of Laundry Receipts According to Type of Work Performed,
by Provinces, 1940

Province	Total Receipts for Laundry Work	Wet Wash		Damp Flat		Semi-Finished		Finished		Coat and Towel Supply	
		Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%
	\$	\$		\$		\$		\$		\$	
CANADA	14,045,468	1,443,035	10.4	1,533,542	10.9	1,873,433	13.3	7,812,030	55.6	1,383,428	9.8
P.E.I. and Nova Scotia .	544,250	72,683	13.4	66,004	12.1	73,936	13.5	328,501	60.0	3,126	0.6
New Brunswick ...	311,695	60,239	19.3	42,147	13.6	2,569	0.8	193,560	62.1	13,180	4.2
Quebec	4,276,607	546,900	12.8	223,495	5.2	546,366	12.8	2,293,916	53.6	665,930	15.6
Ontario	5,379,252	543,299	10.1	820,652	15.2	677,472	12.6	2,802,107	52.1	535,722	10.0
Manitoba	837,154	122,752	14.7	36,931	4.4	178,408	21.3	439,494	52.5	59,569	7.1
Saskatchewan	304,175	17,857	5.9	38,735	12.7	70,809	23.3	176,774	58.1	-	-
Alberta	598,779	18,657	3.1	96,169	16.1	143,972	24.0	314,841	52.6	25,140	4.2
British Columbia.	1,793,556	60,648	3.4	209,409	11.7	179,901	10.0	1,262,837	70.4	80,761	4.5

Table 4.--Distribution of Receipts for Dry Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments According to Type
of Work Performed, by Provinces, 1940

Province	Total Receipts for Cleaning & Dyeing	Cleaning suits and dresses		Cleaning Cur- tains, carpets etc.		Cleaning and storing furs		Dyeing		All Other Work	
		Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%
	\$	\$		\$		\$		\$		\$	
CANADA	12,730,373	8,913,887	70.0	1,484,423	11.7	370,464	2.9	769,847	6.0	1,191,752	9.4
P.E.I. and Nova Scotia .	438,841	319,560	72.8	28,161	6.4	19,534	4.5	27,345	6.2	44,241	10.1
New Brunswick ...	226,116	197,260	86.7	12,370	5.5	132	0.6	9,983	4.4	6,371	2.8
Quebec	3,163,198	1,743,730	55.1	451,573	14.3	72,005	2.3	236,718	7.5	659,172	20.8
Ontario	5,683,172	4,293,349	75.5	702,140	12.4	164,269	2.9	272,923	4.8	250,491	4.4
Manitoba	1,097,284	735,131	67.0	76,918	7.0	58,289	5.3	109,237	10.0	117,709	10.7
Saskatchewan	457,788	300,026	65.6	72,836	15.9	29,272	6.4	9,325	2.0	46,329	10.1
Alberta	696,872	566,145	81.2	53,834	7.7	20,238	2.9	33,873	4.9	22,782	3.3
British Columbia.	967,102	758,686	78.4	86,591	9.0	6,725	0.7	70,443	7.3	44,657	4.6

Table 5.—Materials Used in Power Laundries and Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments
by Provinces, 1940.

Materials	Unit	CANADA		P.E.I. and Nova Scotia		New Brunswick		Quebec	
		Quantity	Cost Value	Quantity	Cost Value	Quantity	Cost Value	Quantity	Cost Value
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
Colours and dyes	lb.	81,355	101,091	3,985	4,425	1,775	2,271	33,326	40,954
Sodas	"	2,524,098	90,447	117,555	4,389	59,260	2,064	646,508	23,121
Caustic Soda	"	344,023	19,024	5,880	348	4,560	264	98,016	5,609
Acids	"	300,240	44,283	21,290	2,510	1,730	302	107,193	16,167
Chlorine—Liquid	"	77,822	11,840	150	22	85	12	41,007	5,840
Bleaches—Liquid	Gal.	184,009	48,103	2,344	589	3,687	1,078	77,373	20,933
Chloride of Lime	lb.	221,793	13,577	17,120	1,172	1,470	72	63,860	3,543
Washing blue	"	2,27	12,635	64	336	34	127	764	4,107
Common salt	"	5,070,363	42,354	25,880	188	6,000	58	1,370,810	9,909
Starch	"	615,234	54,280	21,621	2,108	23,205	1,986	133,466	10,472
Soaps	"	4,342,012	370,330	100,718	10,394	72,704	6,300	1,171,665	100,686
Gasoline and benzine	Gal.	1,045,970	224,870	19,155	4,439	12,360	2,739	293,481	64,611
Perchlorethylene	lb.	365,198	43,274	28,010	3,042	29,542	4,227	46,053	5,347
Carbon tetrachloride	"	336,086	33,190	2,678	284	145	14	55,179	4,922
Other solvents	Gal.	633,378	153,021	30,071	7,322	16,548	4,129	123,651	27,045
All other chemicals	-	-	156,659	-	3,842	-	2,396	-	49,049
Nets, pads and coverings	-	-	230,538	-	9,379	-	5,906	-	36,593
Linen supplies	-	-	70,953	-	-	-	2,610	-	38,223
Buttons, thread, linings & furs	-	-	154,676	-	2,644	-	1,262	-	23,449
Water purchased	-	-	242,722	-	6,780	-	2,964	-	69,313
Other materials	-	-	254,556	-	10,785	-	6,096	-	46,232
Packing supplies	-	-	592,702	-	18,483	-	10,061	-	151,686
Total Cost of Materials	-	-	2,965,125	-	94,481	-	56,938	-	757,811

Table 5.—Materials Used in Power Laundries and Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments
by Provinces, 1940—(Concl'd.)

Materials	Unit	Ontario		Manitoba		Saskatchewan		Alberta		British Columbia	
		Quantity	Cost Value	Quantity	Cost Value	Quantity	Cost Value	Quantity	Cost Value	Quantity	Cost Value
			\$		\$		\$		\$		\$
Colours and dyes...	lb.	25,973	32,345	9,483	10,248	250	400	3,014	5,427	3,549	5,021
Sodas	"	1,116,071	40,141	196,760	6,542	99,510	3,740	111,802	3,848	176,632	6,602
Caustic soda	"	162,912	8,535	17,734	1,075	8,531	552	4,660	277	41,730	2,364
Acids	"	105,513	14,522	17,321	2,922	7,203	1,113	15,348	2,443	24,642	4,304
Chlorine—Liquid...	"	23,970	3,861	4,600	824	2,450	391	-	-	5,560	890
Bleaches—Liquid...	Gal.	57,093	13,946	15,903	3,967	2,242	547	6,512	1,806	18,855	5,237
Chloride of lime ..	Lb.	75,209	4,683	9,460	685	6,583	453	30,502	1,769	17,589	1,200
Washing blue	"	455	2,394	129	977	110	643	169	810	549	3,241
Common salt	"	2,005,921	14,195	493,300	4,723	641,102	7,121	524,250	6,110	3,100	50
Starch	"	271,356	22,656	44,820	4,439	13,483	1,501	33,368	3,360	73,915	7,758
Soaps	"	1,797,090	144,862	362,364	31,072	75,163	6,740	356,873	30,651	405,435	39,625
Gasoline & benzine.	Gal.	496,262	99,411	64,530	16,566	22,780	6,149	43,710	11,479	92,792	19,476
Perichlorethylene..	lb.	203,220	23,194	10,260	1,234	16,972	2,176	23,641	3,054	7,500	1,000
Carbon tetrachloride	"	95,667	9,521	51,500	4,679	9,819	991	2,465	303	118,633	12,475
Other solvents	Gal.	275,203	64,808	77,773	21,249	22,368	6,780	40,354	10,658	47,410	11,030
All other chemicals	-	-	60,772	-	13,523	-	4,576	-	6,825	-	15,675
Nets, pads and coverings	-	-	110,781	-	21,570	-	6,162	-	13,878	-	26,269
Linen supplies	-	-	10,702	-	13,443	-	360	-	2,750	-	2,865
Buttons, thread and linings	-	-	28,142	-	52,037	-	32,233	-	4,822	-	10,087
Water purchased ...	-	-	92,919	-	25,041	-	7,658	-	11,422	-	26,625
Other materials ...	-	-	113,494	-	22,938	-	6,849	-	15,827	-	32,335
Packing supplies ..	-	-	273,043	-	47,634	-	13,331	-	28,499	-	48,965
Total Cost of Materials	-	-	1,188,929	-	307,388	-	110,466	-	166,018	-	283,094

Table 6.--Consumption of Fuel and Electricity in Power Laundries and Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments, Canada, 1938, 1939 and 1940.

Kinds of Fuel	Unit of Measure	1 9 3 8		1 9 3 9		1 9 4 0	
		Quantity	Cost Value at Plant \$	Quantity	Cost Value at Plant \$	Quantity	Cost Value at Plant \$
<u>Power Laundries</u>							
Bituminous coal	Ton (2,000 lb.)	57,036	341,120	58,589	356,287	64,443	400,167
Anthracite coal	"	18,697	102,387	16,140	93,381	10,805	73,187
Lignite coal	"	10,782	46,198	11,836	48,721	14,462	63,161
Coke	"	2,625	18,578	1,918	13,173	1,575	13,359
Fuel or diesel oil	Imp. Gal.	575,779	38,412	1,049,189	55,759	1,371,117	81,735
Wood	Cord	8,988	29,594	6,391	22,719	8,395	26,988
Gas, manufactured	M. cu.ft.	14,217	7,623	11,468	5,679	14,230	8,318
" natural	M. cu.ft.	100,414	21,297	174,307	25,267	164,592	23,386
Other fuel	-	-	52,738	-	55,198	-	54,069
Total Cost of Fuel	-	-	657,947	-	676,184	-	744,370
Electricity Purchased (including service charges)	-	-	178,492	-	189,849	-	198,577
<u>Cleaners and Dyers</u>							
Bituminous coal	Ton (2,000 lb.)	18,128	118,833	18,324	120,156	27,610	145,372
Anthracite coal	"	4,312	25,803	5,059	31,738	6,218	40,759
Lignite coal	"	1,709	8,980	2,836	14,227	1,980	9,614
Coke	"	2,303	14,075	2,390	14,114	2,344	15,209
Fuel or diesel oil	Imp. Gal.	372,107	20,774	478,423	25,548	456,296	28,113
Wood	Cord	2,501	11,073	2,019	8,624	2,607	11,612
Gas, manufactured	M. Cu.ft.	4,061	2,070	10,898	5,813	7,467	2,405
" natural	M. Cu.ft.	35,118	7,943	42,511	12,287	43,766	12,499
Other fuel	-	-	6,168	-	12,396	-	15,658
Total Cost of Fuel	-	-	215,719	-	244,903	-	281,241
Electricity purchased (including service charges)	-	-	94,876	-	106,843	-	121,993
TOTAL COST OF FUEL AND ELECTRICITY	-	-	1,147,034	-	1,217,779	-	1,346,181

Table 7.—Installation of Power Equipment in Power Laundries, and Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments, Canada, 1938, 1939 and 1940.

Classes of Power	1938		1939		1940	
	Number of Units	Manufacturers' Rating of H.P. Capacity	Number of Units	Manufacturers' Rating of H.P. Capacity	Number of Units	Manufacturers' Rating of H.P. Capacity
<u>Power Laundries</u>						
Steam engines and turbines	83	5,176	76	5,101	75	4,559
Other engines and turbines	4	180	4	120	3	15
Electric motors operated by purchased power	1,897	7,070	1,892	7,110	2,025	7,658
Total Power	1,984	12,426	1,972	12,331	2,103	12,232
Electric motors operated by power generated within the plant	565	1,555	590	1,723	579	1,728
Boiler installation	283	27,235	272	25,891	271	25,337
<u>Cleaners and Dyers</u>						
Steam engines and turbines	15	409	15	390	13	274
Other engines and turbines	-	-	1	8	2	17
Electric motors operated by purchased power	897	3,139	1,130	3,570	1,253	3,809
Total Power	912	3,548	1,146	3,968	1,268	4,100
Electric motors operated by power generated within the plant	-	-	-	-	44	130
Boiler installation	243	8,226	282	8,569	311	8,711

Section 2.—Power Laundries in Canada, 1940.

A slight decrease was shown in the number of power or "steam" laundries in Canada reporting to this Census for 1940. Due to the larger amount of equipment required and consequent capital investment, expansion in the laundering section of the industry is much slower than the increase in the number of cleaning and dyeing establishments. Hand laundries are established in many places but are generally doing only a small volume of business and are limited mostly to the ironing and finishing of wearing apparel. Washing and finishing of the larger "household" and "flatwork" pieces is done for these "hand" laundries by power plants at wholesale rates.

The number of "power" laundry plants in Canada reported for 1940 was 230. The value of work performed reached a total of \$16,719,106, an increase of 17.2 per cent over 1939, and the highest revenues yet reported for the industry. Ontario's urban centres support 99 plants and customers paid over 6 millions of dollars for laundry service during the year. The annual revenue of 48 plants in Quebec was \$5,045,533; 31 plants in British Columbia and the Yukon received \$2,074,316 for their work; Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia had 16 plants with receipts of \$600,526; New Brunswick had 12 plants with \$432,183; Alberta reported 10 plants with receipts of \$892,549; Manitoba, 8 plants and \$941,142; and Saskatchewan, 6 plants and \$381,192 in annual receipts.

The total number of salaried employees combined with the monthly average number of wage-earners employed in power laundries amounted to 10,034 persons. The annual payroll including salaried workers and wage-earners, full-time and part-time was \$8,156,441. Salaried employees earned an average of \$1,337 and wage-earners \$690 per person. Male wage-earners averaged 49 hours per week with average weekly earnings of \$17.39; female workers averaged 45 hours per week with average weekly earnings of \$11.63. The highest average earnings for male employees was \$20.57 in Alberta for an average week of 47 hours. The highest for female employees was in British Columbia at \$12.92 for a 44-hour week.

The cost of collection and delivery of customers' goods cost laundry operators 16.6 per cent of the total receipts for all laundry work. More than 1,300 trucks were required for the collection and delivery of laundry bundles. The average operating expense including depreciation of equipment was \$771 per unit while drivers' and salesmen's wages amounted to \$1,289 per unit. The cost of this service was highest in British Columbia where it averaged almost 20 per cent of the total receipts.

Washing materials and supplies form another important item of expense. Laundry owners paid \$1,808,671 to manufacturers or dealers of soaps, sodas and other laundry supplies during 1940. Soaps cost plant operators \$315,390; washing sodas, \$95,600; starch, \$50,000; wash nets, \$81,032; and wrapping materials, \$280,000. The total cost of supplies averaged \$7,729 per plant or 10.8 per cent of the annual receipts.

The proportion of dry cleaning to total work performed showed little change over 1939. Of the total receipts reported for work done in power laundries during 1940, 81.6 per cent was for laundering and only the remaining 18.4 per cent for work done by the various other cleaning processes. Laundry work done for other finishers and distributors amounted to \$518,367.

Section 2.--Power Laundries in Canada, 1940.

The average amount of capital employed by owners of power laundries was \$71,318 per plant, slightly more than the average reported for 1939. Out of the 230 plants reported in Canada only 42 are operated with an investment of less than \$10,000; 88 have an investment of over \$50,000 each and 18 reported capital of over \$200,000 per plant.

The total horse-power capacity of steam boilers installed for heating and power purposes was 25,337. The annual bill for fuel was more than \$744,000 and electricity required for lighting and additional power cost \$198,577.

An increase in the installation of machinery and equipment was shown in the year's reports. Dry cleaning units increased from 107 to 140, water softeners from 115 to 132, while flat-work ironers numbered 441. The larger portion of the remaining equipment included 1,635 washwheels, 948 extractors, 2,199 presses of various kinds and 867 ironing board units.

Table 8.—Comparison of Principal Statistics of Power Laundries,
Canada, 1939 and 1940.

Items	1 9 3 9	1 9 4 0	+ Increase - Decrease	
			Amount	%
Plants reporting No.	234	230	- 4	- 1.8
Capital Invested \$	16,491,516	16,403,259	- 88,257	- 0.6
Average capital per plant \$	70,477	71,318	+ 841	+ 1.2
Total receipts \$	14,267,745	16,719,106	+2,451,361	+17.2
Average receipts per plant \$	60,973	72,691	+ 11,718	+19.2
Population of Canada (Estimated)(1). No.	11,305,000	11,385,000	+ 80,000	+ 0.7
Laundry receipts per capita \$	1.26	1.47	+ .21	+16.7
Plants per 100,000 population No.	2	2	-	-
Salaried Employees - Total No.	1,530	1,902	+ 372	+24.3
Male No.	1,101	1,386	+ 285	+25.9
Female No.	429	517	+ 88	+20.5
Salaries \$	2,131,043	2,543,143	+ 412,100	+19.3
Average Salary per employee \$	1,393	1,337	- 56	- 4.0
Wage-Earners - Monthly Average No.	7,687	8,132	+ 445	+ 5.8
Male No.	2,349	2,322	- 27	- 1.2
Female No.	5,338	5,810	+ 472	+ 8.8
Wages \$	5,334,689	5,613,298	+ 278,609	+ 5.2
Average Wage per employee (including male & female) \$	694	690	- 4	- 0.6
Total wage cost \$	7,465,732	8,156,441	+ 690,709	+ 9.3
Total cost of fuel and electricity.. \$	866,033	942,947	+ 76,914	+ 8.9
Cost of materials used \$	1,617,367	1,808,671	+ 191,304	+11.8
Average cost of materials per plant. \$	6,912	7,729	+ 817	+11.8
Delivery units No.	1,273	1,348	+ 75	+ 5.9
Total cost of collection and delivery \$	2,480,692	2,776,792	+ 296,100	+11.9
Power equipment Units	1,972	2,103	+ 131	+ 6.6
..... H.P.	12,331	12,232	- 99	- 0.8
Plant equipment and machinery Units	7,248	8,320	+ 1,072	+14.8

(1) Not including North West Territories.

Table 9.—Principal Statistics of Power Laundries in Canada,
1927 to 1940

Year and Provinces	Plants	Capital Employed	Total Em- ployees	Salaries and Wages	Cost of Materials Used	Value of Work Performed
	No.	\$	No.	\$	\$	\$
1927	223	13,136,740	7,290	6,349,566	1,350,333	13,088,007
1928	233	14,695,388	8,095	7,038,620	1,537,334	14,590,250
1929	230	17,053,059	8,928	7,925,274	1,716,460	16,352,581
1930	242	18,538,234	9,100	8,140,177	1,571,747	16,283,555
1931	250	19,093,461	8,807	7,709,856	1,350,015	14,879,919
1932	243	18,525,196	8,292	6,482,339	1,065,906	12,297,061
1933	239	17,451,082	7,616	5,501,305	896,954	10,373,890
1934	236	17,523,852	7,393	5,387,274	945,620	10,588,505
1935	237	16,327,614	7,644	5,667,658	1,118,401	10,983,378
1936	229	14,998,564	7,925	5,997,096	1,274,941	12,023,808
1937	225	15,217,541	8,576	6,678,998	1,403,073	13,163,778
1938	232	16,329,318	8,981	7,029,171	1,542,216	13,734,707
<u>1939</u>						
CANADA	234	16,491,516	9,217	7,465,732	1,617,367	14,267,745
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia ...	17	543,460	364	241,952	50,844	507,402
New Brunswick	12	289,942	223	169,582	37,798	395,377
Quebec	49	4,503,865	2,617	2,107,839	448,045	3,896,033
Ontario	99	6,672,095	3,576	2,912,334	612,869	5,528,570
Manitoba	9	1,018,939	521	409,376	112,981	847,492
Saskatchewan	6	408,916	180	147,097	42,967	323,586
Alberta	10	892,315	507	427,458	99,311	818,116
British Columbia and Yukon	32	2,161,984	1,229	1,050,094	212,552	1,951,169
<u>1940</u>						
CANADA	230	16,403,259	10,034	8,156,441	1,808,671	16,719,106
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia ...	16	581,711	413	285,102	58,558	600,526
New Brunswick	12	323,614	254	193,387	43,864	432,183
Quebec	48	4,456,522	2,776	2,253,370	470,684	5,045,553
Ontario	99	6,703,202	3,977	3,240,184	706,850	6,351,645
Manitoba	8	1,004,873	559	447,175	143,253	941,142
Saskatchewan	6	381,145	207	167,614	50,464	381,192
Alberta	10	850,305	518	453,830	124,814	892,549
British Columbia and Yukon	31	2,101,887	1,330	1,115,779	210,184	2,074,316

Table 10.—Summary of Work Performed by Power Laundries, Showing Proportion of Laundering, Cleaning and Dyeing, and Other Work Performed, Canada, 1931-1938 and by Provinces, 1939 and 1940.

Year and Province	Total Work Performed		Laundry Work		Cleaning & Dyeing of Garments		Other Cleaning & Dyeing (1)		All Other Work	
	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%
1931	14,879,919	100.0	13,645,902	91.7	1,143,449	7.7	90,568	0.6	-	-
1932	12,297,061	100.0	11,332,125	92.2	904,691	7.3	34,647	0.3	25,598	0.2
1933	10,373,890	100.0	9,388,185	90.5	909,273	8.8	50,129	0.5	26,303	0.2
1934	10,588,505	100.0	9,413,855	88.9	1,055,302	10.0	104,098	1.0	15,250	0.1
1935	10,983,378	100.0	9,560,188	87.0	1,260,471	11.5	66,240	0.6	96,479	0.9
1936	12,023,808	100.0	10,263,685	85.4	1,492,419	12.4	142,311	1.2	125,393	1.0
1937	13,163,778	100.0	11,135,355	84.6	1,690,509	12.8	160,423	1.2	177,511	1.4
1938	13,734,707	100.0	11,314,379	82.4	2,065,520	15.0	161,797	1.2	193,011	1.4
<u>1 9 3 9</u>										
CANADA	14,267,745	100.0	11,780,192	82.6	2,122,697	14.9	137,438	0.9	227,418	1.6
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia	507,402	100.0	444,980	87.7	62,222	12.3	100	(x)	100	(x)
New Brunswick	395,377	100.0	277,788	70.3	113,089	28.6	4,500	1.1	-	-
Quebec	3,896,033	100.0	3,350,799	86.0	420,151	10.8	70,323	1.8	54,760	1.4
Ontario	5,528,570	100.0	4,559,692	82.5	811,154	14.7	41,379	0.7	116,345	2.1
Manitoba	847,492	100.0	673,297	79.4	162,348	19.2	3,975	0.5	7,872	0.9
Saskatchewan	323,586	100.0	260,687	80.6	62,681	19.4	218	(x)	-	-
Alberta	818,116	100.0	524,049	64.1	261,577	33.0	2,779	0.3	29,711	3.6
British Columbia	1,951,169	100.0	1,688,900	86.5	229,475	11.8	14,164	0.7	18,630	1.0
<u>1 9 4 0</u>										
CANADA (2)	16,719,106	100.0	13,647,670	81.6	2,546,182	15.2	137,655	0.8	387,599	2.4
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia	600,526	100.0	530,204	88.3	62,665	10.4	7,657	1.3	-	-
New Brunswick	432,183	100.0	316,228	73.2	113,955	26.4	2,000	0.4	-	-
Quebec	5,045,553	100.0	4,218,288	83.6	605,788	12.0	54,061	1.1	167,416	3.3
Ontario	6,351,645	100.0	5,194,734	81.8	949,326	14.9	49,357	0.8	157,728	2.5
Manitoba	941,142	100.0	751,115	79.8	179,784	19.1	2,343	0.2	7,900	0.9
Saskatchewan	381,192	100.0	307,639	80.7	73,553	19.3	-	-	-	-
Alberta	892,549	100.0	572,439	64.1	277,829	31.1	12,086	1.3	30,195	3.5
British Columbia	2,074,316	100.0	1,757,023	84.7	282,782	13.6	10,151	0.5	24,360	1.2

(1) Curtains, carpets, feathers, etc. (2) Includes \$518,367 reported for work performed for other finishers and distributors.
(x) Less than 0.1.

Table 11.—Principal Statistics of Power Laundries for Selected Cities, Canada, 1940.

City	No. of Plants	Capital Employed	Value of Work Performed					Salaries and Wages
			Total	Laundry	Cleaning & Dyeing of Garments	Other Cleaning & Dyeing	All Other Work	
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Montreal	34	3,784,442	4,380,746	3,682,179	481,483	49,668	167,416	1,913,582
Toronto	35	3,967,948	3,022,807	2,624,035	287,238	-	111,534	1,624,071
Vancouver	14	1,343,507	1,199,515	1,080,626	118,017	872	-	653,638
Ottawa	9	408,945	541,225	442,509	83,154	5,200	10,362	263,273
Hamilton	8	394,034	497,764	435,832	46,630	3,871	11,431	239,588
Winnipeg	6	910,776	850,254	694,103	145,908	2,343	7,900	419,732
Windsor	7	280,845	208,336	176,231	20,665	-	11,470	95,393
St. John	5	232,891	355,493	250,773	102,720	2,000	-	156,442
Halifax	4	306,426	352,454	342,192	10,262	-	-	162,004
Calgary	4	481,090	517,690	312,831	187,264	1,400	16,195	262,595
Quebec	4	436,502	404,345	342,244	58,101	4,000	-	207,785
London	4	211,528	392,259	293,671	96,351	2,237	-	195,757

Table 12.—Capital Employed in Power Laundries, Canada, 1927 and 1938, and by Provinces, 1939 and 1940.

Year and Province	Total Capital	Fixed Capital		Working Capital	
		Present Value of Land, buildings and equipment		Value of materials, fuel and supplies on hand	Cash, trading and operating accounts
		Owned	Rented		
	\$	\$		\$	\$
1927	13,136,740	11,273,045		272,207	1,591,488
1928	14,695,388	12,665,903		283,306	1,746,179
1929	17,053,059	14,726,010		322,811	2,004,238
1930	18,538,234	16,188,950		365,292	1,983,992
1931	19,093,461	16,797,049		316,616	1,979,796
1932	18,525,196	16,560,391		324,431	1,640,374
1933	17,451,082	15,718,293		264,880	1,467,909
1934	17,523,852	15,241,636		280,322	2,001,894
1935	16,327,614	14,585,397		274,362	1,467,855
1936	14,998,564	13,176,131		261,980	1,560,453
1937	15,217,541	12,077,817	1,359,338	287,348	1,493,038
1938	16,329,318	12,489,889	1,557,225	326,176	1,956,028
<u>1 9 3 9</u>					
CANADA	16,491,516	13,252,729	1,141,056	412,760	1,684,971
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia ...	543,400	407,100	70,400	18,070	47,890
New Brunswick	289,942	231,220	11,150	14,128	33,444
Quebec	4,503,865	3,606,392	311,235	108,117	478,121
Ontario	6,672,095	5,574,602	453,365	153,806	490,322
Manitoba	1,018,939	924,321	-	15,953	78,665
Saskatchewan	408,916	357,897	9,000	10,558	31,461
Alberta	892,315	387,232	111,900	30,684	362,499
British Columbia and Yukon	2,161,984	1,763,965	174,006	61,444	162,569
<u>1 9 4 0</u>					
CANADA	16,403,259	13,101,357	1,121,005	457,316	1,723,581
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia ...	581,711	425,686	63,400	19,110	73,515
New Brunswick	323,614	261,085	11,000	13,991	37,538
Quebec	4,456,522	3,505,635	386,500	117,816	446,571
Ontario	6,703,202	5,610,198	356,536	189,917	546,551
Manitoba	1,004,873	931,610	-	12,891	60,372
Saskatchewan	381,145	309,626	20,000	9,291	42,228
Alberta	850,305	372,677	105,000	33,291	339,337
British Columbia and Yukon	2,101,887	1,684,840	178,569	61,009	177,469

Table 13.--Laundries Classified According to Amount of Capital Employed and Value of Work Performed,
Canada, 1939 and 1940.

Capital Employed	1939				1940			
	No. of Plants	Total Capital	%	Average per Plant	No. of Plants	Total Capital	%	Average per Plant
		\$		\$		\$		\$
Less than \$10,000 ...	42	277,901	1.7	6,617	42	286,410	1.7	6,819
\$10,000 to \$19,999...	35	487,526	3.0	13,929	27	364,320	2.2	13,493
\$20,000 to \$29,999...	22	544,055	3.3	24,730	24	598,472	3.6	24,936
\$30,000 to \$49,999 ..	52	2,034,479	12.3	39,125	49	1,906,017	11.6	38,898
\$50,000 to \$99,999...	40	2,926,034	17.7	73,151	46	3,345,179	20.4	72,721
\$100,000 to \$199,999.	26	3,573,267	21.7	137,433	24	3,338,376	20.4	139,099
\$200,000 to \$299,999.	7	1,567,076	9.5	223,868	9	1,926,199	11.7	214,022
\$300,000 and Over ...	10	5,081,178	30.8	508,118	9	4,638,286	28.4	515,365
Total and Average	234	16,491,516	100.0	70,477	230	16,403,259	100.0	71,318

Value of Work Performed	1939				1940			
	No. of Plants	Work Performed	%	Average per Plant	No. of Plants	Work Performed	%	Average per Plant
		\$		\$		\$		\$
Less than \$10,000....	30	199,712	1.4	6,657	22	155,054	.9	7,047
\$10,000 to \$19,999 ..	42	609,649	4.3	14,515	37	527,692	3.2	14,261
\$20,000 to \$29,999 ..	29	718,785	5.0	24,786	30	740,383	4.4	24,679
\$30,000 to \$49,999 ..	42	1,680,481	11.8	40,011	36	1,444,697	8.6	40,130
\$50,000 to \$99,999 ..	50	3,438,721	24.1	68,774	58	4,008,127	24.0	69,105
\$100,000 to \$199,999.	32	4,336,499	30.4	135,516	37	5,196,093	31.1	140,434
\$200,000 and Over ...	9	3,283,898	23.0	364,878	10	4,647,060	27.8	464,706
Total and Average	234	14,267,745	100.0	60,973	230	16,719,106	100.0	72,691

Table 14.--Materials and Supplies Used in Power Laundries
Canada, 1939 and 1940.

Principal Materials	Unit of Measure	1 9 3 9		1 9 4 0	
		Quantity	Cost Value at Plant \$	Quantity	Cost Value at Plant \$
Soaps	Pound	3,471,151	288,262	3,806,447	315,390
Washing soda	"	665,360	22,612	641,258	21,293
Modified sodas	"	479,872	20,153	692,172	27,974
Soda ash	"	757,129	20,122	754,703	21,766
Caustic soda	"	271,074	15,979	257,400	14,067
Sodium metasilicate	"	137,387	7,162	200,433	10,557
Oxalic acid	"	67,150	12,077	69,671	12,905
Acetic acid	"	47,237	5,462	47,960	5,859
Other acids	"	49,136	7,304	73,154	10,861
Liquid chlorine	"	73,747	11,480	73,432	11,064
Chloride of lime	"	246,913	14,460	195,623	12,246
Other bleach solutions ..	Gal.	154,074	40,961	177,386	46,298
Washing blue	Pound	1,873	9,724	2,262	12,545
Starch	"	573,602	51,837	569,503	50,082
Common salt	"	4,819,761	35,569	4,662,772	39,047
Aniline and other dyes ..	"	9,368	10,237	13,076	16,226
Alcohol	Prf.Gal.	1,045	1,071	616	660
Gasoline and benzine	Gal.	244,494	53,341	272,911	62,562
Perchloroethylene	Pound	85,886	9,918	171,505	20,535
Carbon tetrachloride	"	216,449	19,094	192,413	18,289
Other solvents	Gal.	176,521	44,819	143,749	36,911
All other chemicals and reagents	-	-	55,071	-	63,364
Wash nets	-	-	70,342	-	81,032
Pads and coverings	-	-	112,012	-	128,979
Linen supplies	-	-	-	-	70,782
Water purchased	-	-	210,818	-	209,122
Furs (for repairs)	-	-	-	-	1,624
Buttons, thread, linings, etc.	-	-	28,509	-	35,141
Hangers	-	-	-	-	17,522
Paper, twine, bags, etc..	-	-	270,473	-	280,668
All other materials and supplies	-	-	168,498	-	153,300
Total Cost of Materials.	-	-	1,617,367	-	1,808,671

Table 15.—Number of Delivery Units Operated by Power Laundries, Present Estimated Value, and Cost of Operation, by Provinces, 1939 and 1940.

Province	Total No. of Units	Estimated Present Value		Operating Expenses (2)		Salaries & Wages (3)	
		Total	Average per Unit	Total	Average per Unit	Total	Average per Unit
<u>1939</u>							
CANADA	1,273	875,706	688	923,568	726	1,557,124	1,223
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia	45	32,783	728	25,825	574	41,870	930
New Brunswick	34	18,371	540	29,968	881	31,106	915
Quebec	372	231,235	622	296,200	796	458,762	1,233
Ontario	474	366,849	774	313,171	661	576,967	1,217
Manitoba	77	41,883	544	50,194	652	88,373	1,148
Saskatchewan	25	10,210	408	15,131	605	25,420	1,017
Alberta	80	42,840	536	46,156	577	91,761	1,147
British Columbia (1) ..	166	131,535	793	146,923	885	242,865	1,463
<u>1940</u>							
CANADA	1,348	930,501	690	1,038,833	771	1,737,959	1,289
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia	49	33,584	685	32,887	671	48,092	981
New Brunswick	32	20,922	654	28,549	892	35,973	1,124
Quebec	381	268,135	704	350,716	920	510,677	1,340
Ontario	507	383,065	755	353,336	697	676,243	1,334
Manitoba	76	38,608	508	51,288	675	97,265	1,280
Saskatchewan	25	10,600	424	14,444	578	28,748	1,150
Alberta	81	47,232	583	51,405	635	93,671	1,156
British Columbia (1) ..	197	128,355	651	156,208	793	247,290	1,255

(1) Includes Yukon.

(2) Includes depreciation, gasoline, oil, repairs, etc.

(3) Includes salaries and wages paid to routemen, route managers and salesmen.

Table 16.--Cost of Wages, Fuel and Electricity, Materials and Collection and Delivery in Power Laundries and Proportion of each to Total Receipts by size of Business Canada, 1939 and 1940.

Annual Receipts	No. of Plants	Total Receipts	Wages (3)		Fuel and Electricity		Materials and Supplies		Collection and Delivery (2)	
			Total	% (4)	Total	% (4)	Total	% (4)	Total	% (4)
<u>1939</u>										
All Plants	234	14,267,745	5,908,638	41.4	866,033	6.1	1,617,367	11.3	2,480,692	17.4
Less than \$10,000....	30	199,712	80,155	40.1	20,648	10.3	22,876	11.5	40,628	20.3
\$10,000 to \$19,999...	42	609,649	244,680	40.1	57,915	9.5	71,213	11.7	103,793	17.0
\$20,000 to \$29,999...	29	718,785	302,890	42.1	55,800	7.8	84,768	11.8	117,905	16.4
\$30,000 to \$49,999 ..	42	1,680,481	690,441	41.1	123,197	7.3	199,335	11.9	264,486	15.7
\$50,000 to \$99,999...	50	3,438,721	1,427,986	41.5	237,218	6.9	408,923	11.9	552,029	16.1
\$100,000 to \$199,999.	32	4,336,499	1,733,779	40.0	222,866	5.1	456,631	10.5	770,363	17.8
\$200,000 and Over ...	9	3,285,898	1,428,707	43.5	148,389	4.5	373,621	11.4	631,488	19.2
<u>1940</u>										
All Plants	230	16,719,106	6,418,482	38.4	942,947	5.6	1,808,671	10.8	2,776,792	16.6
Less than \$10,000 ...	22	155,054	53,645	34.6	17,279	11.1	20,186	13.1	25,715	16.6
\$10,000 to \$19,999 ..	37	527,692	209,440	39.7	50,175	9.5	62,522	11.8	86,768	16.4
\$20,000 to \$29,999...	30	740,383	282,761	38.2	63,380	9.2	88,626	12.0	120,163	16.2
\$30,000 to \$49,999...	36	1,438,123	586,223	40.8	102,273	7.1	179,334	12.4	201,351	14.0
\$50,000 to \$99,999...	58	4,014,701	1,651,234	41.1	264,439	6.6	462,141	11.5	622,331	15.5
\$100,000 to \$199,999.	37	5,196,093	2,025,206	39.0	272,210	5.2	614,484	11.8	944,917	18.2
\$200,000 and over ...	10	4,647,060	1,609,973	34.6	168,191	3.6	381,378	8.2	775,547	16.7

(1) Includes Yukon. (2) Includes wages to drivers and salesmen and depreciation, gasoline, oil, repairs, etc., to delivery equipment.

(3) Not including wages paid to salesmen and routemen. (4) Per cent of total receipts.

Table 17.-- Cost of Wages, Fuel and Electricity, Materials and Collection and Delivery in Power Laundries and Proportion of each to Total Receipts, by Provinces, 1939 and 1940.

Province	No. of Plants	Total Receipts	Wages (3)		Fuel and Electricity		Materials and Supplies		Collection and Delivery (2)	
			Total	% (4)	Total	% (4)	Total	% (4)	Total	% (4)
		\$	\$		\$		\$		\$	
<u>1939</u>										
CANADA.....	234	14,267,745	5,908,638	41.4	866,043	6.1	1,617,367	11.3	2,480,692	17.4
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia	17	507,402	200,082	39.4	39,444	7.8	50,844	10.0	67,695	13.3
New Brunswick	12	395,377	138,476	35.0	26,695	6.8	37,798	9.6	61,074	15.4
Quebec	49	3,896,033	1,649,077	42.3	252,658	6.5	448,045	11.5	754,962	19.4
Ontario	99	5,528,570	2,335,397	42.2	344,588	6.2	612,869	11.1	890,138	16.1
Manitoba	9	847,492	321,003	37.9	63,040	7.4	112,981	13.3	138,567	16.4
Saskatchewan	6	323,586	121,677	37.6	22,196	6.9	42,967	13.3	40,551	12.5
Alberta	10	818,116	335,697	41.0	38,293	4.7	99,311	12.1	137,917	16.9
British Columbia (1) ..	32	1,951,169	807,229	41.4	79,119	4.1	212,552	10.9	389,788	19.9
<u>1940</u>										
CANADA	230	16,719,106	6,418,482	38.4	942,947	5.6	1,808,671	10.8	2,776,792	16.6
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia	16	600,526	237,010	39.5	42,645	7.1	58,558	9.8	80,979	13.5
New Brunswick	12	432,183	157,414	36.4	28,187	6.5	43,864	10.1	65,087	15.1
Quebec	48	5,045,553	1,742,693	34.5	286,044	5.7	470,684	9.3	857,193	17.0
Ontario	99	6,351,645	2,563,941	40.4	381,276	6.0	706,850	11.1	1,032,214	16.2
Manitoba	8	941,142	349,910	37.2	63,418	6.7	143,253	15.2	148,553	15.8
Saskatchewan	6	381,192	138,866	36.4	24,136	6.3	50,464	13.2	43,192	11.3
Alberta	10	892,549	360,159	40.4	38,059	4.3	124,814	14.0	147,076	16.5
British Columbia (1) ..	31	2,074,316	868,489	41.7	79,182	3.8	210,184	10.1	402,498	19.4

(1) Includes Yukon. (2) Includes wages to drivers and salesmen and depreciation, gasoline, oil, repairs, etc., to delivery equipment.

(3) Not including wages paid to salesmen and routemen. (4) Per cent of total receipts.

Table 18.—Employment in Power Laundries Classified According to Sex and Remuneration, by Provinces, 1939 and 1940.

Province	Salaried Employees			Wage-earners (Monthly Average)		
	Male	Female	Total Salaries	Male	Female	Total Wages
	No.	No.	\$	No.	No.	\$
<u>1939</u>						
CANADA	1,101	429	2,131,043	2,349	5,338	5,334,689
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia ..	39	12	59,517	88	225	182,435
New Brunswick	35	14	61,774	60	114	107,808
Quebec	380	109	670,840	726	1,402	1,436,999
Ontario	389	175	816,198	877	2,137	2,096,136
Manitoba	56	27	120,297	102	336	289,079
Saskatchewan	22	8	40,469	39	111	106,628
Alberta	42	19	110,195	133	313	317,263
British Columbia and Yukon	138	65	251,753	324	702	798,341
<u>1940</u>						
CANADA	1,386	517	2,543,143	2,322	5,810	5,613,298
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia...	44	15	72,819	85	269	212,283
New Brunswick	31	21	66,091	69	133	127,296
Quebec	449	118	739,814	747	1,462	1,513,556
Ontario	503	216	988,039	876	2,382	2,252,145
Manitoba	81	27	160,394	80	372	286,781
Saskatchewan	31	11	49,845	33	132	117,769
Alberta	63	34	137,201	105	316	316,629
British Columbia and Yukon	184	75	328,940	327	744	786,839

Table 19.—Monthly Employment of Wage-Earners in Power Laundries, Canada, 1938, 1939 and 1940.

Months	1938			1939			1940		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
January	2,537	5,116	7,653	2,284	5,189	7,473	2,215	5,461	7,676
February	2,516	5,076	7,592	2,280	5,146	7,426	2,221	5,468	7,689
March	2,547	5,089	7,636	2,305	5,212	7,517	2,238	5,571	7,809
April	2,620	5,216	7,836	2,341	5,279	7,620	2,274	5,636	7,910
May	2,663	5,323	7,986	2,385	5,359	7,744	2,347	5,716	8,063
June	2,694	5,436	8,130	2,405	5,444	7,849	2,375	5,843	8,218
July	2,703	5,505	8,208	2,416	5,512	7,928	2,381	5,950	8,331
August	2,698	5,496	8,194	2,405	5,518	7,923	2,403	6,030	8,433
September ...	2,682	5,414	8,096	2,369	5,410	7,779	2,355	6,006	8,361
October	2,669	5,270	7,939	2,339	5,344	7,683	2,362	5,695	8,057
November	2,635	5,200	7,835	2,328	5,317	7,645	2,357	5,998	8,355
December	2,615	5,176	7,791	2,332	5,327	7,659	2,356	6,043	8,399
Monthly Average ...	2,632	5,277	7,909	2,349	5,338	7,687	2,324	5,784	8,108

Table 20.—Number of Wage-earners, Male and Female, in Power Laundries in Month of Average Employment
Classified According to Regular Hours of Work, by Provinces, 1940.

Province	Number of Wage-Earners and Hours Worked per Week										Average hours per Week	Average Weekly Earnings	
	30 hours or less	31-43 hours	44 hours	45-47 hours	48 hours	49-50 hours	51-54 hours	55 hours	56-64 hours	65 hours and Over			
CANADA	Male	39	84	227	201	838	267	306	72	267	21	49	17.39
	- Female	165	1,021	717	956	1,780	537	508	48	78	-	45	11.63
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia	Male	2	10	7	7	38	14	4	-	3	-	47	17.41
	- Female	14	67	29	38	60	49	10	1	1	-	44	9.68
New Brunswick	Male	-	3	3	1	10	14	37	-	-	1	50	15.00
	- Female	3	15	3	8	20	27	56	1	-	-	48	10.63
Quebec	Male	18	29	69	93	106	96	113	46	162	15	51	18.21
	- Female	43	315	221	279	117	233	199	29	26	-	45	10.60
Ontario	Male	10	21	49	47	447	69	105	25	98	5	49	16.49
	- Female	46	306	185	258	1,117	183	219	17	51	-	42	12.11
Manitoba	Male	1	2	18	7	21	18	9	1	3	-	48	16.97
	- Female	21	56	85	41	139	16	14	-	-	-	44	11.74
Saskatchewan	Male	1	-	-	-	32	-	-	-	-	-	47	17.15
	- Female	9	8	7	12	83	10	3	-	-	-	46	12.87
Alberta	Male	2	6	9	9	40	11	28	-	-	-	47	20.57
	- Female	10	42	84	72	82	19	7	-	-	-	44	12.42
British Columbia (1)	Male	5	13	72	37	144	45	10	-	1	-	46	16.87
	- Female	19	212	103	248	162	-	-	-	-	-	44	12.92

(1) Includes Yukon.

Table 21.— Mechanical Equipment in Use in Power Laundry Establishments,
Canada, 1935 to 1940.

	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Washing Machines	1,607	1,591	1,601	1,638	1,657	1,635
Wash room extractors	804	772	790	798	808	807
Other extractors	173	177	185	154	165	141
Tumbler driers	238	263	286	306	314	343
Conveyor driers	94	85	82	68	78	97
Vats for dyeing	104	115	105	97	78	89
8 roll ironers	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	56	60
6 roll ironers	156	164	141	148	137	138
5 roll ironers	81	65	56	50	66	64
Single roll ironers	91	89	83	81	92	98
All other flatwork ironers ...	103	94	115	124	84	81
Suit and garment presses	304	298	330	339	408	495
Shirt bosom presses	184	201	219	236	248	261
Cuff and neck band presses ...	233	249	264	279	278	316
Body presses	608	631	684	736	737	776
Steam presses (underwear)	284	306	328	337	363	351
Collar machines (starchers, dampeners, edgers, etc.)	611	583	586	460	428	396
Ironing boards	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	867
Sewing machines	318	336	372	422	436	477
Dry cleaning units	(x)	(x)	(x)	87	107	140
Water softeners	(x)	(x)	(x)	97	115	132
All other equipment	464	511	646	513	593	556
Total Equipment	6,457	6,530	6,873	6,970	7,248	8,320

(1) Included with "Other flatwork ironers." (x) Not enumerated.

LIST OF LAUNDRIES OPERATING IN CANADA, 1940.

Prince Edward Island

Stearns Steam Laundry	234 Kent St.,	Charlottetown
White Star Laundry	14 Spring St.,	Summerside

Nova Scotia

Union Laundry	9 Prince Arthur St.,	Amherst
Bridgewater Laundry	King St.,	Bridgewater
Globe Laundry Limited	50 Buchingham St.,	Halifax
Halifax Steam Laundry Limited	81 West St.,	"
Home Wet Wash Laundry	19 Isleville St.,	"
St. Michael's Laundry	83 Quinpool Road,	"
South Shore Laundry and Dry Cleaners	Main St.,	Liverpool
Sunshine Laundry & Cleaners Limited	141 Stewart St.,	New Glasgow
Brookside Steam Laundry	Regent St.,	North Sydney
Vail's Laundry & Dry Cleaning	Hugh St.,	Sydney
Bagnell's Laundry & Dry Cleaning	9 Commercial St.,	Truro
Vail's Laundry	12 King St.,	"
Windsor Laundry	Stannus St.,	Windsor
Yarmouth Laundry & Dry Cleaning Ltd.,	Brown St.,	Yarmouth

New Brunswick

Home Laundry	63 Bridge St.,	Devon
Edmundston Laundry & Dry Cleaning Ltd.,	66 Church St.,	Edmundston
Globe Laundry	676 Queen St.,	Fredericton
Branscombe's Wet Wash Laundry	229 King St.,	Moncton
Vail's Star Laundry Co., Ltd.,	90 King St.,	"
City Laundry Limited	90 City Road,	Saint John
New System Laundry & Cleaners Ltd.,	30 Lansdowne Ave.,	" "
St. Michael's Laundry	133 Waterloo St.,	" "
Ungars Laundry Ltd.,	28 Waterloo St.,	" "
Vail's Globe Laundries Ltd.,	30 Lansdowne Ave.,	" "
St. Stephen Steam Laundry	King St.,	St. Stephen
Sackville Laundry & Dry Cleaners	Lorne St.,	Sackville

Quebec

Allard, Pierre & Frere	402 Lindsay St.,	Drummondville
Buanderie Meunier	124-1st Street	Iberville
Barney's Sunshine Uniform Supply Ltd.,	22 Principal St.,	Montreal
Canada Laundry Company	2321 Des Erables,	Montreal
Canadian Sanitary Laundry Limited	4534 Brebeuf St., (Westmount)	"
Crown Laundry Co.,	4220 St. Catherine St. W.,	"
Elwood Laundry Reg'd.	5222 Cote des Neiges Rd.,	"
Federal Laundry Limited	5338 Berri St.,	"
Home Family Laundry Inc.	2701 Charlemagne St.,	"
Hygienic Coat & Towel Supply Limited	1080 City Hall Ave.,	"

Quebec - Cont'd.

Imperial Supply Company	1471 Parthenais St.,	Montreal
Jolicoeur Limitee	4132 Parthenais St.,	"
Buanderie Laval	5721 St. Denis St.,	"
Buanderie Menard	554 St. Clement St.,	"
Metropole Laundry Ltee	1415 Everett St.,	"
Mettayer, A.	109-11th St., (Lachine)	"
La Moderne Toilette Service	1871 Cartier St.,	"
Buanderie Monkland	8 Ruelle Robert (St. Laurent)	"
Montreal Laundry Company Limited	936 Busby Lane,	"
New Ideal Laundry	139 St. Peter St.,	"
New Method Washing Limited	6455 Christopher Columbus St.	"
New System Towel Supply Co.	900 Ontario St., E.	"
Buanderie Paquette	2351 Des Carrieres St.,	"
Parisian Laundry Company Limited	3550 St. Antoine St.,	"
Buanderie Perfection	1295 Des Carrieres St.,	"
Queens Jubilee Laundry	75 Laurier Ave., West	"
Buanderie Riendeau, H.	2060 Harmony St.,	"
St. Hubert Laundry Inc.	8560 St. Hubert St.,	"
St. Lawrence Laundry Limited	256 Greene Ave.,	"
Buanderie St. Michel	104 Sherbrooke St., E.,	"
St. Paul's Laundry	2020 Roberval St.,	"
Shaver's Laundry Limited	589 Canning St.,	"
Star Laundry	3629 St. Lawrence Blvd.,	"
Toilet Laundries Limited	750 Guy St.,	"
Troy Laundry & Dyeing Company	3856 Allen Ave., (Verdun)	"
Villeroy Laundry	8183 Lajeunesse St.,	"
Imperial Laundry Company	54 St. Valier St.,	Quebec
La Buanderie Levis Limitee	10 de Courcelles,	"
Parisian Cleaners & Laundry Limited	4 McMahon St.,	"
Quebec Steam Laundry	14 Des Prairies St.,	"
St. Hyacinthe Steam Laundry	1655 St. Antoine St.,	St. Hyacinthe
Boivin, Edouard	175 Scott Ave.,	St. Jerome
South Shore Laundry	7 Fort St.,	St. Lambert
Crown Laundry of Sherbrooke Limited	Off Bank St.,	Sherbrooke
Buanderie Nationale, Enrg.	184 Conseil St.,	"
Sherbrooke Laundry & Dry Cleaners	91 Frontenac St.,	"
Austin Laundry Reg'd.	29 Roy St.,	Three Rivers
Buanderie Economique	403 Laverandry St.,	" "

Ontario

Aylmer Steam Laundry & Dry Cleaning	John St., S.,	Aylmer
Belleville Steam Laundry	291 Coleman St.,	Belleville
Brantford Laundry Limited	130 Clarence St.,	Brantford
Wrightway Laundry	Perth St., S.,	Brockville
Maple City Laundry	420 Park Ave., W.,	Chatham
Martins Steam Laundry	29 Lawrence Ave.,	Cornwall
Quality-First Steam Laundry	16-4th St., E.,	"
Standard Laundries Limited	209 McVicar St.,	Fort William
Geraldton Steam Laundry		Geraldton
Royal City Laundry	155 Yorkshire St.,	Guelph
Batram's Wet Wash Laundry	27 Aikman Ave.,	Hamilton

Ontario - Cont'd.

Blue White Laundries Limited	220 Gage Ave., N.,	Hamilton
City Laundry Hamilton Limited	104 Main St., W.,	"
Excel Laundry	772 King St., W.,	"
Ideal Laundry Company	800 Barton St., E.,	"
Parisian Sanitary Laundry Limited	12 Walnut St.,	"
Snow White Laundry	5 Merchison St.,	"
Westdale Laundry	4 Newton Ave.,	"
Bigwin Laundry		Huntsville
Abitibi Power & Paper Company Limited		Iroquois Falls
City Steam Laundry	Ordnance St.,	Kingston
Thompson Brothers Launderers	312 Barrie St.,	"
Teck Steam Laundry Limited,	104-A Government Rd., W.,	Kirkland Lake
Pearl Laundry	90 Queen St., S.,	Kitchener
Victoria Electric Laundry	98 Russell St., W.,	Lindsay
Dutch Laundry	2 Dundas St. W.,	London
Forest City Laundry	5 King St.,	"
London Coat and Apron Supply	98 Carling St.,	"
Parisian Laundry & Dry Cleaners Limited	71 Dundas St.,	"
Wagg's Laundry & Dry Cleaners Ltd.,	Yonge St., W.,	Midland
Niagara Laundry & Dry Cleaning Company	488 Ellis St.,	Niagara Falls
City Laundry of North Bay Limited	245 McIntyre St., East,	North Bay
Ideal Laundry	184 Cassells St.,	" "
Oshawa Laundry & Dry Cleaning Co., Ltd.,	456 Centre St.,	Oshawa
Cambridge Laundry Limited	475 Cambridge St.,	Ottawa
Classic Laundry	313 Bank St.,	"
Crown Laundry	30 Chamberlain St.,	"
Good Shepherd Steam Laundry	411 St. Andrew St.,	"
Household Laundry Limited	787 Carling Ave.,	"
Individual Laundry System	105 Chapel St.,	"
Ottawa Sanitary Laundry Co., Ltd.,	255 Argyle Ave.,	"
Rideau Laundry	98 Marier Rd.,	" (Eastview)
Vail's Laundry Limited	386 Wellington St.,	"
City Laundry	1025-3rd Ave., E.,	Owen Sound
Pembroke Laundry, Cleaning & Dyeing Co.,	160 McKay St.,	Pembroke
Fanning's Launderers & Dry Cleaners	171 King St.,	Peterborough
Feasbys Wash-Rite Laundry	117 Thorold Road,	St. Catharines
Garden City Laundry	189 St. Paul St., W.,	" "
Hunters Laundries Limited	133 Curtis St.,	St. Thomas
Family Laundry Limited	190 Davis St.,	Sarnia
Marine Laundry & Dry Cleaners	121 Queen St., E.,	Sault Ste. Marie
Smith's Falls Laundry & Cleaners	16 Maple Ave., S.,	Smith's Falls
Cascade Laundry Limited	371 Lorne Ave.,	Sudbury
Sudbury Steam Laundry	171 Larch St.,	"
Timmins New Method Laundry	63 Cedar St., N.	Timmins
Brighton Laundry Limited	826 Bloor St., W.,	Toronto
Canada Laundry Company Limited	1123 Dundas St., W.,	"
Cardwell's Laundry	141 Cedarvale Ave.,	"
Careful & Safety Laundries	152 Avenue Road	"
De Luxe Laundry	117 Eglinton Ave., E.,	"
Excelsior Laundry Limited	637 Runnymede Road,	"
General Wipers Limited	18 Baldwin St.,	"
Home Laundry Company	178 Harbord St.,	"

Ontario - Concluded

Ideal Laundry Limited	312 St. Helens Ave.,	Toronto
Ideal Wet Wash	40 Danforth Road	"
Masculinen Laundry	14 Temperance St.,	"
Modern Laundry Limited	703 Bloor St., W.,	"
New Method Laundry Co., Ltd.,	725 College St.,	"
New System Laundry Co., Ltd.,	107 Elizabeth St.,	"
New York Laundry	342 Parliament St.,	"
Ontario Laundry Co., Ltd.,	260 Berkeley St.,	"
Parisian Laundry Co. of Toronto Limited	241 Bathurst St.,	"
Parkdale Laundry	65 Fuller Ave.,	"
Peerless Laundry Limited	1401 Gerard St., E.,	"
Princess Laundry	451 Parliament St.,	"
Puritan Laundry Company Limited	292 Brunswick Ave.,	"
Queen City Laundry	128 Queen St. E.,	"
Robertson Services Limited	624 Adelaide St. W.,	"
Sanitary Laundry Company	9 Bulwer St.,	"
Sterling Laundry Company Limited	755 Dundas St., E.	"
Superior Laundry Company	1601 Queen St., E.,	"
Swiss Laundry	105 Simcoe St.,	"
Taber-Young Laundry	84 Merton St.,	"
Toilet Laundries Limited	1145 Ossington Ave.,	"
Toronto Launderers & Dry Cleaners Limited	175 Ossington Ave.,	"
Toronto Sanitary Towel Supply Company	9 McCaul St.,	"
Vail's System Limited	444 Bathurst St.,	"
West End Laundry Limited	2295 Dundas St., W.,	"
White Way Laundry & Dry Cleaners Limited	477 Spadina Ave.,	"
Yorkville Laundry Limited	47 Elm St.,	"
Twin City Laundry Limited	13 Duke Street, E.,	Waterloo
New Method Laundry	249 Burgar St.,	Welland
Burnside Wet Wash Laundry	1148 Chatham St., E.,	Windsor
Monastery Laundry	3615 College Ave.,	"
Puritan Laundry	565 Shepherd St., E.,	"
Standard Laundry	1201 Dougall Ave.,	"
Walkerville Laundry	403 Windermere Road	"
White Laundry & Dry Cleaning Company	938 Wyandotte St., E.	"
Windsor Steam Laundry & Dry Cleaners	1556 Elsmere Ave.,	"

Manitoba

Rumford Laundry Limited	1219 Rosser Ave.,	Brandon
Dauphin Steam Laundry	2nd St., South West,	Dauphin
Modern Laundry & Dye Works Co., Limited	309 Hargrave St.,	Winnipeg
New Method Cleaners & Launderers Ltd.,	372 Burnell St.,	"
North West Laundry Limited	181 Main St.,	"
Peerless Laundry	55 Pearl St.,	"
Rumford Limited	Horne & Wellington Sts.,	"
Winnipeg Laundry Limited	969 Sherbrooke St.,	"

Saskatchewan

Moose Jaw Steam Laundry Company Limited	103 Ominica St., W.,	Moose Jaw
Prince Albert Launderers & Cleaners Ltd.,	411-9th St., E.,	Prince Albert
Rainbow Laundry & Dry Cleaners Limited	2075 Broad St.,	Regina
Regina Steam Laundry Limited	1924 Rose St.,	"
Christie Laundry	302-1st Ave., N.,	Saskatoon
Modern Laundry Limited	300-1st Ave., N.,	"

Alberta

Alberta Laundry Limited	730 Second Ave., W.,	Calgary
Model Laundry Limited	420 Marsh Road,	"
Ontario Laundry Limited	302-5th Ave., E.,	"
Premier Laundry Limited	902-4th Ave., W.,	"
Ideal Laundry & Dry Cleaners	9514-110th Ave.,	Edmonton
New Method Laundry Limited	11060 Jasper Ave.,	"
Snow Flake Laundry & Dry Cleaners Ltd.,	9814-104th Ave.,	"
Duck, Lee	402-13th St., N.,	Lethbridge
Lethbridge Laundry Co., Ltd.,	542-4th St., S.,	"
Medicine Hat Steam Laundry Co. Ltd.,	873-A Second St.,	Medicine Hat

British Columbia

Valley Laundry Limited	9 Mary St.,	Chilliwack
Whiteway Laundry Limited	77 Victoria St., W.,	Kamloops
Kelowna Steam Laundry Limited	210 Patterson Ave.,	Kelowna
Ladysmith Steam Laundry	First Ave.,	Ladysmith
Imperial Laundry & City Cleaners & Dyers	31 Comox Road	Nanaimo
Nelson City Laundry & Dry Cleaners Ltd.,	711 Baker St.,	Nelson
Royal City Laundry Limited	814 Royal Ave.,	New Westminster
Burrard Laundry Limited	501-3rd Ave., E.,	North Vancouver
Penticton Laundry & Dry Cleaners Ltd.,	Martin St.,	Penticton
Powell River Steam Laundry		Powell River
Pioneer Canadian Laundries	142-3rd Ave., E.	Prince Rupert
Crystal Laundry Limited	1358 McQuarrie St.,	Trail
City Laundry	823 Union St.,	Vancouver
Economy Steam Laundry	1947 Triumph St.,	"
Excelsior Laundry Limited	584 Richards St.,	"
Family Service Laundry Limited	5-4th Ave., W.,	"
Fraser Wash Laundry	666-20th Ave., E.,	"
French Hand Laundry	1520-4th Ave., W.,	"
I.X.L. Laundry Limited	130-5th Ave., W.,	"
Keefer Laundry	238 Keefer St.,	"
Monastery Laundry	562-14th Ave., W.,	"
Nelson Laundries Limited	2300 Cambie St.,	"
Peerless Laundry Limited	1698-3rd Ave., W.,	"
Pioneer Laundry & Dry Cleaners Ltd.,	910 Richards St.,	"
Star Steam Laundry Company Limited	1115 Richards St.,	"
Sterling Laundry	1460-7th Ave., W.,	"
Vernon Steam Laundry & Dry Cleaners	115-7th St.,	Vernon
Economy Steam Laundry	607 John St.,	Victoria
New Method Laundries Limited	947 North Park St.,	"
Standard Steam Laundry Limited	841 View St.,	"

Yukon Territory

Cascade Steam Laundry	Craig St.,	Dawson City
White Horse Steam Laundry		White Horse

Section 3.—Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments in Canada, 1940.

The cleaning and dyeing establishments in this section are those engaged in the cleaning of unwashable fabrics by solvents other than water. While a certain amount of washing of goods is done in some plants, receipts reported for laundry work were very small and are included under the heading "Other work" in tables showing work performed in cleaning plants.

There were 300 cleaning and dyeing plants operating in Canada in 1940 and annual receipts for this service totalled \$10,056,735. Reports were received from 159 plants in Ontario whose receipts of \$4,710,779 formed 47 per cent of the Dominion total. Quebec had 37 plants with \$2,394,252 receipts; British Columbia had 30 plants with \$686,342 receipts; Alberta, 20 plants with \$403,102; Manitoba, 17 plants with \$993,296; Saskatchewan, 17 plants with \$380,771; Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia, 10 plants with \$382,565; and 10 plants in New Brunswick had receipts amounting to \$105,628 for the year.

The annual revenues of 39 plants operating in Toronto was \$2,493,530 or about 53 per cent of the Ontario total. Plants operating in Montreal numbered 19 with receipts of \$1,932,149. There were 18 plants in Vancouver with receipts of \$520,148; 14 plants in Winnipeg with receipts of \$962,314 and 16 in Hamilton had receipts of \$403,509 for 1940.

The annual fuel bill for cleaning and dyeing establishments was \$281,241 in 1940 while \$121,993 was paid out for lighting and electric power. Boiler installation totalled 8,711 horse-power and 1,268 engines and electric motors developed 4,100 horse-power for plant operation.

The total annual payroll amounted to \$4,956,024 for 1,450 salaried employees and 4,025 wage-earners. The average salary per employee was \$1,165 while the average wage-earner received \$812 for his work. The monthly average of wage-earners showed employment of 2,165 males and 1,860 females. The average earnings per male employee was \$17.53 for a 48-hour week, while the average earnings per female employee was \$13.33 for a 47-hour week. Male wage-earners in Alberta received the highest average weekly earnings with \$19.14 per week. Female wage-earners in British Columbia averaged \$13.81 per week. The total wage cost for cleaning and dyeing establishments was 41.6 per cent of the total receipts as compared with 38.4 per cent for power laundries.

Cost of collection and delivery averaged 14.1 per cent of the total receipts compared with 16.6 per cent reported for collection of laundry work. The number of delivery trucks in operation was 804 with an average operating cost of \$801 per unit. Salaries paid to drivers and salesmen averaged \$960 per unit.

Most cleaning and dyeing establishments operate on a smaller scale than do power laundries. Of the 300 plants reporting, 33 had annual receipts of less than \$7,500 each, 31 reported receipts between \$7,500 and \$10,000, 136 between \$10,000 and \$30,000, 66 were over \$30,000 but less than \$100,000, and 14 establishments reported total revenues in excess of \$100,000 each for 1940.

Materials and supplies used by cleaners and dyers cost \$1,153,454; 68,279 pounds of colours and dyes valued at \$84,865 were used along with 104,455 pounds of acids, 1,261,688 gallons of common solvents and 535,565 pounds of soaps. Paper, bags, wrapping materials and hangers cost over \$290,000.

Dry cleaning units in operation increased from 194 to 234 during the year and suit presses increased from 1,027 to 1,069. Other equipment included 573 wash-wheels, 461 extractors, 560 dyeing vats, 482 sewing machines, 444 ironing board units and 45 other presses of various kinds.

Table 22.—Comparison of Principal Statistics for Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments, Canada, 1939 and 1940.

Items	1939	1940	+ Increase - Decrease	
			Amount	%
Plants reporting No.	268	300	+ 32	+ 11.9
Capital invested \$	7,914,099	8,460,069	+ 545,970	+ 6.9
Average capital per plant \$	29,530	28,200	- 1,330	- 3.5
Total receipts \$	8,658,729	10,056,735	+ 1,398,006	+ 16.1
Average receipts per plant \$	32,309	33,522	+ 1,213	+ 3.8
Population of Canada (Estimated (1) No.	11,305,000	11,385,000	+ 80,000	+ 0.7
Receipts per capita \$	0.77	0.88	+ 0.11	+ 14.3
Plants per 100,000 population No.	2.4	2.6	+ 0.2	+ 8.8
Salaried employees - Total No.	1,072	1,450	+ 378	+ 35.3
Male No.	711	926	+ 215	+ 30.2
Female No.	361	524	+ 163	+ 45.1
Salaries \$	1,309,193	1,689,151	+ 379,958	+ 29.0
Average salary per employee.. \$	1,221	1,165	- 56	- 4.6
Wage-Earners:-- Monthly average ... No.	3,923	4,025	+ 102	+ 2.6
Male No.	2,234	2,165	- 69	- 3.1
Female No.	1,689	1,860	+ 171	+ 10.1
Wages \$	2,974,933	3,266,873	+ 291,940	+ 9.8
Average wage per employee ... \$	758	812	+ 54	+ 7.1
Total wage cost \$	4,284,126	4,956,024	+ 671,898	+ 15.7
Cost of fuel and electricity \$	351,746	403,234	+ 51,488	+ 14.6
Cost of materials and supplies \$	1,034,962	1,156,454	+ 121,492	+ 11.7
Average cost of supplies per plant. \$	3,862	3,855	- 7	- 0.2
Delivery units No.	720	804	+ 84	+ 11.7
Total cost of collection & delivery \$	1,244,404	1,413,527	+ 169,123	+ 13.6
Power equipment - Units No.	1,146	1,268	+ 122	+ 10.6
Capacity H.P.	3,938	4,100	+ 132	+ 3.3
Plant equipment and machinery Units	4,058	4,804	+ 746	+ 18.4

(1) Not including North West Territories.

Table 23.—Principal Statistics of Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments, Canada, 1927 to 1940.

Year and Province	Plants	Capital Employed	Em- ployees	Salaries and Wages	Cost of Materials Used	Value of Work Performed
	No.	\$	No.	\$	\$	\$
1927	115	2,844,004	1,883	1,931,015	444,768	4,340,030
1928	124	4,618,492	2,644	2,601,698	645,238	5,924,380
1929	127	5,338,154	2,811	3,001,530	633,702	6,689,197
1930	126	5,548,035	2,785	3,109,768	624,392	6,412,321
1931	157	6,528,103	2,965	2,961,759	618,014	6,144,765
1932	166	6,367,918	2,878	2,538,102	521,680	5,005,718
1933	172	6,130,729	2,912	2,381,084	502,692	4,866,091
1934	175	6,192,848	2,983	2,526,815	517,812	5,014,107
1935	179	6,439,944	3,108	2,671,476	620,535	5,327,883
1936	191	7,077,371	3,643	3,112,452	709,793	6,304,537
1937	193	6,902,031	3,976	3,492,712	856,192	7,179,374
1938	230	7,575,505	4,320	3,890,227	999,999	7,994,123
<u>1939</u>						
CANADA	268	7,914,099	4,995	4,284,126	1,034,962	8,658,729
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia ...	10	335,339	152	136,224	33,251	300,894
New Brunswick	8	95,485	43	30,699	9,026	71,004
Quebec	33	1,167,275	1,085	877,902	265,090	2,016,723
Ontario	135	4,292,140	2,462	2,101,920	443,856	4,042,790
Manitoba	17	609,849	526	491,298	142,374	917,540
Saskatchewan	16	351,875	170	140,535	42,804	318,456
Alberta	18	374,574	203	187,792	36,102	351,669
British Columbia	31	697,562	354	317,756	62,459	639,653
<u>1940</u>						
CANADA	300	8,460,069	5,474	4,956,024	1,156,454	10,056,735
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia ...	10	588,992	198	168,959	35,923	382,565
New Brunswick	10	114,400	58	39,226	13,074	105,628
Quebec	37	1,245,387	1,271	1,075,034	287,127	2,394,252
Ontario	159	4,412,076	2,617	2,420,824	482,077	4,710,779
Manitoba	17	623,611	567	532,871	164,135	993,296
Saskatchewan	17	359,905	198	167,664	60,002	380,771
Alberta	20	407,178	214	212,154	41,204	403,102
British Columbia	30	709,520	353	331,292	72,910	686,342

Table 24.—Value of Work Performed in Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments,
Canada 1930-38 and by Provinces, 1939 and 1940.

Year and Province	Total Value of Work Performed	Dyeing and Cleaning of Garments	Other Dyeing and Cleaning Work (2)	All Other Work
	\$	\$	\$	\$
1930	6,412,325	-	-	-
1931	6,144,765	5,669,478	470,666	4,621
1932	5,005,718	4,286,449	608,715	110,554
1933	4,866,091	4,204,739	600,101	61,251
1934	5,014,107	4,573,271	291,966	148,870
1935	5,327,883	4,680,041	404,705	243,137
1936	6,304,537	5,423,861	586,245	294,431
1937	7,179,374	6,189,390	581,767	408,217
1938	7,994,123	6,783,135	601,377	609,611
<u>1939</u>				
CANADA	8,658,729	7,254,723	714,065	689,941
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia	300,874	241,762	18,158	40,974
New Brunswick	71,004	70,244	300	460
Quebec	2,016,723	1,619,434	243,149	154,140
Ontario	4,042,790	3,520,347	298,029	224,414
Manitoba	917,540	654,868	82,654	180,018
Saskatchewan	318,456	261,504	2,087	54,865
Alberta	351,669	330,969	8,632	12,068
British Columbia	639,653	555,595	61,056	23,002
<u>1940</u>				
CANADA	10,056,735(1)	7,924,202	1,005,368	1,127,165
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia	382,565	318,009	24,072	40,484
New Brunswick	105,628	103,917	995	716
Quebec	2,394,252	1,614,261	296,856	483,135
Ontario	4,710,779	4,069,371	420,911	220,497
Manitoba	993,296	509,737	200,712	282,847
Saskatchewan	380,771	288,413	16,536	75,822
Alberta	407,178	55,000	9,189	18,628
British Columbia	686,342	647,801	33,505	5,036

(1) Includes \$946,314 received for work performed for other finishers and distributors.

(2) Curtains, carpets, feathers, etc.

Table 25.--Principal Statistics of Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments
for Selected Cities, Canada, 1940.

City	No. of Plants	Capital Employed	Value of Work Performed			Total Em- ployees No.	Total Salaries & Wages	
			Total	Cleaning & Dyeing of Garments	Other Cleaning & Dyeing			All Other Work
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Toronto	39	2,430,142	2,493,530	2,111,009	230,708	151,813	1,446	1,383,057
Montreal	19	816,957	1,332,149	1,231,532	233,151	467,466	974	862,276
Vancouver	18	526,820	520,148	486,658	30,936	2,554	257	236,566
Winnipeg	14	606,729	962,314	495,237	193,330	273,747	537	516,944
Hamilton	16	381,503	403,509	368,042	26,264	9,203	208	180,590
Windsor	12	232,378	259,757	240,679	18,078	1,000	141	132,349
Edmonton	8	269,820	210,897	196,033	5,671	9,193	130	121,931
Calgary	9	110,774	145,269	133,265	6,110	5,894	64	69,473
Ottawa	6	196,018	289,709	220,610	49,098	20,001	155	150,267
Saskatoon	7	192,820	203,568	128,853	8,334	66,381	102	83,701
London	8	207,059	225,517	192,051	20,461	13,005	118	104,232
Regina	8	143,165	154,173	136,530	8,202	9,441	81	73,761
Victoria	6	123,306	108,140	104,968	891	2,281	65	64,836
Quebec	5	234,297	240,755	185,254	52,501	3,000	181	116,581
Brantford	4	49,832	39,373	34,283	4,890	200	18	16,958

Table 26.--Capital Employed in Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments,
Canada, 1927 to 1938, and by Provinces, 1939 and 1940.

Year and Province	Total Capital	Fixed Capital		Working Capital	
		Present Value of Land, Building and Equipment		Value of Materials, fuel and supplies on hand	Cash, trading and operating accounts
		Owned	Rented		
	\$	\$		\$	\$
1927	2,844,004	2,440,626		99,121	304,257
1928	4,618,492	3,919,454		132,969	566,069
1929	5,338,154	4,388,292		161,642	788,220
1930	5,548,035	4,771,560		176,272	600,203
1931	6,528,103	5,695,056		192,520	640,527
1932	6,367,918	5,532,394		201,645	633,879
1933	6,130,729	5,320,222		226,349	584,158
1934	6,192,848	5,316,324		194,194	682,330
1935	6,439,944	5,663,249		203,565	573,130
1936	7,077,371	6,164,900		261,284	651,187
1937	6,902,031	5,004,069	962,341	261,717	673,904
1938	7,575,505	5,245,863	1,351,191	271,953	706,498
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CANADA	7,914,099	5,373,316	1,428,202	355,455	757,126
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia	335,339	254,744	23,100	14,823	42,672
New Brunswick	85,485	39,730	38,500	2,000	5,255
Quebec	1,167,275	811,791	177,494	49,371	128,619
Ontario	4,292,140	2,864,421	878,152	190,674	358,893
Manitoba	609,849	439,431	27,360	41,608	101,450
Saskatchewan	351,875	196,154	71,153	37,542	47,026
Alberta	374,574	293,688	41,111	4,474	35,301
British Columbia	697,562	473,357	171,332	14,963	37,910
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CANADA	8,460,069	5,737,738	1,495,320	305,651	921,360
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia	588,992	482,304	20,600	15,472	70,616
New Brunswick	114,400	63,764	43,700	1,999	4,937
Quebec	1,242,387	790,525	241,900	57,882	153,080
Ontario	4,413,076	2,934,552	879,592	127,422	471,510
Manitoba	623,611	469,671	25,000	41,250	87,690
Saskatchewan	359,905	200,476	65,838	37,138	56,453
Alberta	407,178	308,392	55,000	9,189	34,597
British Columbia	709,520	488,054	163,690	15,299	42,477

Table 27.—Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments Classified According to Capital Employed and Value of Work Performed, Canada 1939 and 1940.

Capital Employed	1939				1940			
	No. of Plants	Total Capital	%	Average per Plant	No. of Plants	Total Capital	%	Average per Plant
Less than \$7,500.....	59	284,324	3.6	4,819	74	417,881	4.9	5,647
\$7,500 to \$9,999....	36	310,640	3.9	8,629	44	386,251	4.6	8,778
\$10,000 to \$14,999..	52	623,952	7.9	11,999	59	722,030	8.5	12,238
\$15,000 to \$19,999..	33	565,080	7.1	17,124	34	588,586	7.0	17,311
\$20,000 to \$29,999..	25	586,823	7.4	23,473	28	677,664	8.0	24,202
\$30,000 to \$49,999..	27	1,086,964	13.7	40,258	24	902,192	10.7	37,591
\$50,000 to \$99,999..	24	1,646,251	20.9	68,594	24	1,563,634	18.5	65,151
\$100,000 to \$199,999.	8	1,062,026	13.4	132,753	9	1,183,349	14.0	131,483
\$200,000 and Over...	4	1,748,039	22.1	437,010	4	2,018,482	23.8	504,621
Total and Average..	268	7,914,099	100.0	29,530	300	8,460,069	100.0	28,002

Value of Work Performed	1939				1940			
	No. of Plants	Work Performed	%	Average per Plant	No. of Plants	Work Performed	%	Average per Plant
Less than \$7,500.....	48	279,236	3.2	5,817	53	335,717	3.3	6,334
\$7,500 to \$9,999....	44	380,660	4.4	8,651	31	272,365	2.7	8,786
\$10,000 to \$14,999..	49	607,919	7.0	12,407	76	939,140	9.3	12,357
\$15,000 to \$19,999..	28	483,482	5.6	17,267	33	566,797	5.6	17,176
\$20,000 to \$29,999..	27	656,261	7.6	24,306	27	646,766	6.4	22,473
\$30,000 to \$49,999..	35	1,390,031	16.1	39,715	34	1,311,601	13.4	38,577
\$50,000 to \$99,999..	25	1,674,148	19.3	66,966	32	2,158,565	21.3	67,455
\$100,000 to \$199,999..	5	733,646	8.5	146,729	8	897,334	8.9	112,167
\$200,000 and Over....	7	2,453,346	28.3	350,478	6	2,928,450	29.1	488,075
Total and Average..	268	8,658,729	100.0	32,309	300	10,056,735	100.0	33,522

Table 28.—Materials and Supplies Used, by Cleaners and Dyers, Canada,
1939 and 1940.

Principal Materials	Unit of Measure	1939		1940	
		Quantity	Cost Value at Plant \$	Quantity	Cost Value at Plant \$
Colours and dyes	lb.	62,365	70,657	68,279	84,865
Oxalic acid	"	6,080	1,043	8,328	1,565
Acetic acid	"	50,671	6,112	54,620	6,914
All other acids	"	27,027	3,969	41,507	6,179
Alcohol	Prf. Gal.	5,129	4,446	5,049	5,015
Gasoline and benzene	gal.	638,476	129,704	772,059	162,308
Liquid ammonia	lb.	-	2,709	35,147	3,061
Perchloroethylene	"	141,627	16,660	193,693	22,739
Carbon tetrachloride	"	77,295	6,895	143,673	14,901
All other solvents	gal.	549,192	127,872	489,629	116,110
Soaps	lb.	497,005	52,569	535,565	54,940
Washing soda	"	52,887	1,647	110,339	4,250
Modified sodas	"	42,655	1,710	20,240	909
Soda ash	"	32,115	997	85,968	2,672
Caustic soda	"	89,705	5,157	86,623	4,957
Sodium metasilicate	"	13,984	758	18,985	1,016
Liquid chlorine	"	3,320	365	4,390	776
Bleach solutions	Gal.	6,801	1,560	6,623	1,805
Chloride of lime	lb.	5,837	271	26,170	1,331
Common salt	"	286,223	2,474	407,591	3,307
Starch	"	15,774	1,399	45,731	4,198
All other chemicals & reagents	-	-	65,471	-	84,649
Nets, pads and coverings	-	-	16,757	-	20,527
Linen supplies	-	-	-	-	171
Furs (for repairs)	-	-	-	-	71,719
Water purchased	-	-	26,916	-	33,600
Buttons, threads, linings, etc.	-	-	58,924	-	46,192
Paper, twine and bags	-	-	222,430	-	204,429
Hangers	-	-	-	-	90,083
Other materials and supplies.	-	-	205,490	-	101,256
Total Cost of Materials Used.	-	-	1,034,362	-	1,156,454

Table 29.--Number of Delivery Units Operated by Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments, Present Estimated Value and Cost of Operation, by Provinces, 1939 and 1940.

Province	Total No. of Units	Estimated Present Value		Operating Expenses (1)		Salaries and Wages	
		Total	Average per Unit	Total	Average per Unit	Total	Average per Unit
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
<u>1939</u>							
CANADA	720	477,360	663	584,638	812	659,766	916
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia	35	31,056	887	23,031	658	26,248	749
New Brunswick.....	7	4,534	648	5,166	738	5,281	754
Quebec	116	84,856	732	103,714	894	122,887	1,059
Ontario	355	234,018	659	290,334	818	296,733	836
Manitoba	77	36,836	478	53,318	692	84,056	1,092
Saskatchewan	29	19,572	675	21,594	745	25,767	889
Alberta	31	22,958	741	23,776	767	30,905	997
British Columbia	70	43,530	622	63,705	910	67,889	970
<u>1940</u>							
CANADA	804	545,450	678	641,423	801	772,104	960
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia	48	35,373	736	33,008	688	39,744	828
New Brunswick	10	4,975	497	7,511	751	9,197	919
Quebec	139	100,186	720	128,218	922	152,288	1,096
Ontario	389	267,963	689	322,135	828	349,957	892
Manitoba	81	44,557	550	60,520	747	90,693	1,120
Saskatchewan	35	23,831	680	21,727	621	30,366	868
Alberta	35	24,985	713	25,459	727	34,123	975
British Columbia	67	43,580	650	42,845	639	65,736	981

(1) Includes depreciation, gasoline, oil, repairs, etc.

(2) Includes salaries and wages paid to routemen, route managers and salesmen.

Table 30.—Cost of Wages, Fuel and Electricity, Materials, and Collection and Delivery, in Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments and Proportion of Each to Total Receipts, by Size of Business Canada, 1939 and 1940.

Amount of Annual Receipts	No. of Plants	Total Receipts	Wages (1)		Fuel & Electricity		Materials		Collection and Delivery (2)	
			Total	% (3)	Total	% (3)	Total	% (3)	Total	% (3)
<u>1939</u>										
All Plants	268	8,658,729	3,624,360	41.9	351,746	4.1	1,034,962	12.0	1,244,404	14.4
Less than \$7,500	48	279,236	110,427	39.5	18,257	6.5	32,017	11.5	62,948	22.5
\$7,500 to \$9,999	44	380,660	138,012	36.3	26,291	6.9	34,876	9.2	79,488	20.9
\$10,000 to \$14,999 ..	49	607,919	221,940	36.5	33,047	5.4	57,398	9.4	108,879	17.9
\$15,000 to \$19,999 ..	28	483,482	170,894	35.3	24,540	5.1	47,126	9.7	87,245	18.0
\$20,000 to \$29,999...	27	656,261	280,739	42.8	33,484	5.1	78,500	12.0	122,474	18.7
\$30,000 to \$49,999 ..	35	1,390,031	598,331	43.0	60,205	4.3	140,430	10.1	233,497	16.8
\$50,000 to \$99,999 ..	25	1,674,148	726,368	43.4	62,579	3.7	229,826	13.7	234,826	14.0
\$100,000 to \$199,999.	5	733,646	322,494	44.0	22,895	3.1	90,668	12.4	59,592	8.1
\$200,000 and Over ...	7	2,453,346	1,055,155	43.0	70,448	2.9	324,121	13.2	255,455	10.4
<u>1940</u>										
All Plants	300	10,056,735	4,183,920	41.6	403,234	4.0	1,156,454	11.4	1,413,527	14.1
Less than \$7,500 ...	53	335,717	123,694	36.8	23,214	6.9	48,837	14.5	74,159	22.1
\$7,500 to \$9,999	31	272,365	97,717	35.9	16,602	6.1	24,279	8.9	48,962	18.0
\$10,000 to \$14,999 ..	76	939,140	321,600	34.2	49,962	5.3	94,518	10.1	179,775	19.1
\$15,000 to \$19,999 ..	33	566,797	218,809	38.6	33,657	5.9	61,277	10.8	109,806	19.4
\$20,000 to \$29,999 ..	27	646,766	287,888	44.4	30,936	4.8	63,697	9.8	105,771	16.4
\$30,000 to \$49,999 ..	34	1,311,601	540,487	41.2	56,610	4.3	123,324	9.4	202,887	15.5
\$50,000 to \$99,999 ..	32	2,158,565	902,492	41.8	81,693	3.8	251,305	11.6	313,706	14.5
\$100,000 to \$199,999.	8	897,334	384,804	42.9	28,426	3.2	106,812	11.9	65,918	7.3
\$200,000 and Over ...	6	2,928,450	1,307,429	44.6	82,134	2.8	382,405	13.1	312,543	10.7

(1) Not including wages paid to salesmen and routemen.

(3) Per cent of total receipts.

(2) Includes wages to drivers and salesmen and depreciation, gasoline, oil, repairs etc. to delivery equipment.

Table 31.--Cost of Wages, Fuel and Electricity, Materials and Collection and Delivery in Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments and Proportion of each to Total Receipts, by Provinces, 1939 and 1940.

Province	No. of Plants	Total Receipts	Wages (1)		Fuel & Electricity		Materials		Collection and Delivery (2)	
			Total	% (3)	Total	% (3)	Total	% (3)	Total	% (3)
<u>1939</u>										
CANADA	268	8,658,729	3,624,360	41.9	351,746	4.1	1,034,962	12.0	1,244,404	14.4
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia	10	300,894	109,976	36.5	16,409	5.5	33,251	11.1	49,279	16.4
New Brunswick	8	71,004	25,418	35.8	4,116	5.8	9,026	12.7	10,447	14.7
Quebec	33	2,016,723	755,015	37.4	81,405	4.0	265,090	13.1	226,601	11.2
Ontario	135	4,042,790	1,805,187	44.7	156,854	3.9	442,856	11.0	587,067	14.5
Manitoba	17	917,540	407,242	44.4	34,813	3.8	142,374	15.5	137,374	15.0
Saskatchewan	16	318,456	114,768	36.0	14,784	4.6	42,804	13.4	47,361	14.9
Alberta	18	351,669	156,387	44.6	14,769	4.2	36,102	10.3	54,681	15.5
British Columbia	31	639,653	249,867	39.1	28,596	4.5	62,459	9.8	131,594	20.6
<u>1940</u>										
CANADA	300	10,056,735	4,183,920	41.6	403,234	4.0	1,156,454	11.4	1,413,527	14.1
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia	10	382,565	129,215	33.8	21,381	5.6	35,923	9.4	72,752	19.0
New Brunswick	10	105,628	30,029	28.4	6,777	6.4	13,074	12.4	16,708	15.8
Quebec	37	2,394,252	920,746	38.5	90,460	3.8	287,127	12.0	280,506	11.7
Ontario	159	4,710,779	2,080,867	44.2	183,003	3.9	482,077	10.2	672,092	14.3
Manitoba	17	993,296	442,178	44.5	37,538	3.8	164,135	16.5	151,213	15.2
Saskatchewan	17	380,771	137,298	36.1	16,293	4.3	60,002	15.8	52,093	13.7
Alberta	20	403,102	178,031	44.2	16,103	4.0	41,204	10.2	59,582	14.8
British Columbia	30	686,342	265,556	38.7	31,679	4.6	72,912	10.6	108,581	15.8

(1) Not including wages paid to salesmen and routemen.
 (3) Per cent of total receipts.

(2) Includes wages to drivers and salesmen and depreciation, gasoline, oil, repairs, etc., to delivery equipment.

Table 32.--Employees in Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments Classified According to Sex and Remuneration, by Provinces, 1939 and 1940.

Province	Employees on Salaries			Wage-Earners (Monthly Average)		
	Male No.	Female No.	Total Salaries \$	Male No.	Female No.	Total Wages \$
1939						
CANADA	711	361	1,309,193	2,234	1,689	2,974,933
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia	36	17	54,825	59	40	81,399
New Brunswick	14	5	15,811	17	7	14,888
Quebec	136	74	254,776	498	377	623,126
Ontario	359	200	673,910	1,103	800	1,428,010
Manitoba	59	21	135,216	228	218	356,082
Saskatchewan	26	9	40,086	85	50	100,449
Alberta	38	14	62,554	78	73	125,238
British Columbia	43	21	72,015	166	124	245,741
1940						
CANADA	926	524	1,689,151	2,165	1,860	3,266,873
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia	43	22	67,416	72	59	101,543
New Brunswick	10	2	11,333	25	21	27,893
Quebec	179	178	390,956	503	411	682,078
Ontario	477	230	812,969	1,059	852	1,617,855
Manitoba	81	39	170,254	203	244	362,617
Saskatchewan	40	18	61,751	84	56	105,913
Alberta	39	10	70,397	76	89	141,757
British Columbia	57	25	104,075	143	128	227,217

Table 33.--Monthly Employment of Wage-Earners in Cleaning and Dyeing Establishments, Canada, 1938, 1939 and 1940.

Month	1938			1939			1940		
	Male No.	Female No.	Total No.	Male No.	Female No.	Total No.	Male No.	Female No.	Total No.
January	1,770	1,302	3,072	1,896	1,421	3,317	1,857	1,527	3,384
February	1,776	1,290	3,066	1,896	1,394	3,290	1,878	1,532	3,410
March	1,935	1,386	3,321	2,098	1,633	3,731	2,052	1,727	3,779
April	2,233	1,677	3,910	2,389	1,860	4,249	2,331	2,010	4,341
May	2,240	1,678	3,918	2,428	1,905	4,333	2,326	2,021	4,347
June	2,269	1,719	3,988	2,414	1,862	4,276	2,282	1,998	4,280
July	2,206	1,642	3,848	2,377	1,772	4,149	2,265	1,933	4,198
August	2,163	1,612	3,775	2,345	1,752	4,097	2,258	1,956	4,214
September	2,207	1,644	3,851	2,352	1,757	4,109	2,292	2,001	4,293
October	2,166	1,606	3,772	2,296	1,712	4,008	2,238	1,978	4,216
November	2,089	1,525	3,614	2,214	1,631	3,845	2,148	1,865	4,013
December	1,971	1,464	3,435	2,110	1,576	3,686	2,054	1,772	3,826
Monthly average	2,085	1,545	3,630	2,234	1,689	3,923	2,165	1,860	4,025

Table 34.—Number of Wage-Earners, Male and Female, in Cleaning and Dyeing Plants in Month of Average Employment and Classified According to Regular Hours of Work, by Provinces, 1940.

Province	Number of Wage-Earners and Hours Worked per Week										Average hours per week	Average weekly earnings	
	30 hours or less	31-43 hours	44 hours	45-47 hours	48 hours	49-50 hours	51-54 hours	55 hours	56-64 hours	65 hours & Over			
CANADA	Male	32	68	235	241	631	393	427	22	79	37	48	17.56
	- Female	44	171	202	331	588	217	234	19	53	1	47	13.33
Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia ...	Male	-	-	12	4	12	25	15	2	2	-	49	17.32
	- Female	-	4	13	5	5	14	14	2	2	-	48	11.97
New Brunswick	Male	-	-	-	-	3	4	18	-	-	-	51	13.96
	- Female	-	-	-	-	5	2	14	-	-	-	51	8.90
Quebec	Male	9	30	24	34	48	45	219	8	52	34	52	14.38
	- Female	8	37	14	34	35	52	167	15	48	1	50	14.30
Ontario	Male	16	26	135	169	322	253	98	12	25	3	48	18.70
	- Female	20	64	109	190	356	69	39	2	3	-	46	13.26
Manitoba	Male	5	9	15	17	89	50	18	-	-	-	47	19.65
	- Female	8	30	33	62	55	56	-	-	-	-	45	12.25
Saskatchewan	Male	-	-	5	5	54	-	20	-	-	-	49	15.96
	- Female	-	2	3	9	42	-	-	-	-	-	47	12.32
Alberta	Male	-	-	4	5	17	13	37	-	-	-	50	19.14
	- Female	-	5	4	8	58	14	-	-	-	-	47	14.28
British Columbia ...	Male	2	3	40	7	86	3	2	-	-	-	46	18.19
	- Female	8	29	26	23	32	10	-	-	-	-	43	13.81

Note—The above table does not include overtime.

Table 35.—Mechanical Equipment Installed in Dyeing and Cleaning Establishments, Canada, 1935 to 1940.

Kind	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Washing machines	434	463	491	504	547	573
Extractors	325	332	364	378	427	461
Tumbler driers	173	193	222	246	303	355
Conveyor driers	14	16	16	16	30	48
Vats for dyeing	453	536	551	538	561	560
Flat work ironers	58	40	36	48	62	113
Suit and garment presses	574	672	755	902	1,027	1,069
Shirt bosom presses	11	10	10	8	6	12
Body presses	5	8	10	14	18	25
Steam presses (underwear)	18	6	1	13	19	8
Collar machines	3	4	4	8	10	8
Ironing boards	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	444
Sewing machines	234	260	206	355	422	482
Dry cleaning units	(x)	(x)	(x)	115	194	234
Water softeners	(x)	(x)	(x)	12	23	39
Other equipment	265	309	410	312	409	373
Total Equipment	2,557	2,854	3,166	3,469	4,058	4,804

(x) Not tabulated.

LIST OF CLEANERS AND DYERS OPERATING IN CANADA, 1940.

Prince Edward Island

New Method Cleaners Ltd.,	130 Longworth Ave.,	Charlottetown
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Nova Scotia

Harbour Cleaners	72 Portland St.,	Dartmouth
Bakus Superior Cleaners		Fairview
Glovers Dry Cleaning & Dyeing Co.,	105 Union St.,	Glace Bay
New Method Cleaners & Dyers Ltd.,	19 Sterling St.,	" "
Cousins Limited	507 Robie St.,	Halifax
United Cleaners & Dyers Co., Ltd.,	19 Isleville St.,	"
Harris, Fred.	Commercial St.,	North Sydney
Cousins-Forsyth Ltd.,	400 Esplanade,	Sydney
McKinnon & Cameron	344 Esplanade,	"

New Brunswick

Coudreau, Guy	61 Water St.,	Campbellton
McLaughlin Bros. Cleaners	131 Water St.,	"
Buzzells Dye Works	276 Queen St.,	Fredericton
Cash and Carry Cleaners	644 Queen St.,	"
Fashion Plate Cleaners	100 Regent St.,	"
Clorex Cleaners, Ltd.,	359 St. George St.,	Moncton
Moore, Lee	137 Robinson St.,	"
American Dye Works Ltd.,	27 Elm St.,	Saint John
Cash & Carry Cleaners,	59 Dock St.,	" "
New Process Cleaners Ltd.,	96 Germain St.,	" "

Quebec

Nettoyage Francois Moderne Enrg.,	126 St. Francois St.,	Drummondville
Teinturerie St. Jean Ltee.	484 Dorion St.,	"
Shefford Dyeing & Cleaning	27 St. Joseph St.,	Granby
Poitras Edouard, Enrg.,	539 De Lanaudiere,	Joliette
Ararat Oriental Rug Cleaning Co.,	5457 Park Ave.,	Montreal
Burnett Ltd.,	311 Chatham St.,	"
Canada Carpet Cleaning Ltd.,	714 Vitre St.,	"
Capital Cleaners & Dyers	687 De L'Epee Ave.,	"
Charbonneau, C. E. & Cie	1300 De Fleuriment St.,	"
Dechaux Freres Limitee	2142 Beaudry St.,	"
Dominion Cleaners & Dyers Ltd.,	2281 St. James St. W.,	"
Dunn's Cleaners & Dyers	6750 Park Ave.,	"
Herard & Cie	555 St. Ferdinand St.,	"
Lachine Dyers & Cleaners Ltd.,	120-7th Ave., (Lachine)	"
Leveille Limitee	4371 Lafrance Ave.,	"
Montreal Dyeing & Cleaning Co., Ltd.,	139 Belanger Ave., E.,	"
National Cleaners, Reg'd.	3160 Rouen St.,	"
New System Cleaning Service, Reg'd.	2461 Des Carrieres St.,	"
Pauls Service Stores Ltd.,	1451 Beaubien St., E.,	"
Perth Dye Works Reg'd.	5014 Sherbrooke St., W.,	"
Queen's Cleaners & Dyers	6571 Marquette St.,	"
Rand Service Stores Ltd.,	856 St. Remi St.,	"

Quebec - Cont'd.

Sevigny, J. E.	79 Mount Royal Ave., E.	Montreal
Star Dyers & Cleaners, Reg'd.	3028 LaSalle Blvd., (Verdun)	"
White Swan Cleaners Ltd.,	4892 Sherbrooke St., W.,	"
Ideal Cleaners & Dyers	213-2nd Ave.,	Noranda
Teinturerie Dorchester, Reg'd.	120 Dorchester St.,	Quebec
Ferland, P., Inc.,	155 Dupont St.,	"
Teinturerie Francaise Limitee	565 St. Jean St.,	"
La Salle Cleaners Reg'd.	75 St. Dominique St.,	"
Teinturerie Mathieu Limitee	13 St. Albert St., (Limoilou)	"
Belanger, & Philie	12 Laframboise St.,	St. Hyacinthe
Martin, Alfred	329 St. Jacques	St. Jean
New Method Dry Cleaning	76 Alexandre St.,	Sherbrooke
Gregoire, Leo.	5 Dumais St.,	Thetford Mines
De Luxe Cleaners & Dyers	1015 Champfleur St.,	Three Rivers
Poissant, H. A. & Cie	1375 Ste. Marguerite St.,	" "

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Wright Cleaners	88 Dunlop St.,	Barrie
Modern Cleaners & Dyers	335 Pinnacle St.,	Belleville
Superior Cleaners & Dyers	142 Front St., N.,	"
Brantford National Cleaners	324 Colborne St.,	Brantford
Burtol Super-Cleaners	23 George St.,	"
Cahill, R. P.	51 Dalhousie St.,	"
Patte, Geo. J.	50 Marlboro St.,	"
Birks the Cleaner	176 King St., W.,	Brockville
De Luxe Cleaners	Sebastapol St.,	Campbellford
Community Cleaners	145 Queen St.,	Chatham
De Luxe Cleaners & Dyers	41 Fourth St.,	"
Maxwell & Co.,	72 Wellington St.,	"
Scotty the Cleaner	87 Queen St.,	"
Cobourg Cleaners & Dyers	94 King St. West	Cobourg
Daigneault, J. M.	213 Montreal Rd.,	Cornwall
Langley's (Cornwall) Cleaners	16 Third St., W.,	"
Sanitary Dry Cleaners	578 Scott St.,	Fort Francis
Ellard & Sons	236 Simpson St.,	Fort William
De Luxe Cleaners	116 Syndicate Ave.,	" "
Save-Way Cleaners	302 Victoria Ave.,	" "
Birmingham's Cleaning	10 Water St., N.,	Galt
Hub Cleaners	108 Ainslie St., S.,	"
Stewart, Jack	19 Quebec St.,	Guelph
Dales Dry Cleaners	1022 Barton St., E.,	Hamilton
Dollar Cleaners & Dyers Ltd.,	38 Ottawa St., N.,	"
Eyre's Dyeing & Cleaning	93 James St., N.,	"
Fitzsimon Bros.,	1129 Main St., E.,	"
Glovers Dyers & Cleaners	167 James St., S.,	"
Hoover Dry Cleaners	127 King St., W.,	"
Howard Bros.,	52 Rebecca St.,	"
Langley's Ltd.,	210 Main St., E.,	"
Markham, H. N.,	149 James St. S.,	"
My Valet	326 King St., E.,	"
National Cleaners	329 Barton St., E.	"
Parker, A. & Son Ltd.,	184 King St. E.,	"

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Reliable Cleaners & Dyers	10 Cathcart St.,	Hamilton
Streets Dye Works	685½ King St., E.,	"
Vogue Cleaners	1005 King St., E.,	"
Crystal Cleaners & Dyers	445 Princess St.,	Kingston
New System Cleaners & Dyers	147 Brock St.,	"
Pattons Dye Works	349 Princess St.,	"
Master Cleaners & Dyers	51 Second St.,	Kirkland Lake
Park Cleaners	Government Bld., E.,	" "
Kitchener Dye Works	47 Queen St., S.,	Kitchener
MacIntosh Cleaners Ltd.,	130 Victoria St., S.,	"
Newtex Cleaners & Dyers	135 Ottawa St., S.,	"
Malors Cleaners	50 Erie St., N.,	Leamington
Alladin Dry Cleaners & Dyers	343 Dundas St.,	London
Dean's Dry Cleaning & Dye Works	663 Adelaide St.,	"
French Cleaners & Dyers	108 Wellington Rd.,	"
Jackson, The Cleaner	650 Richmond St.,	"
Marvo Cleaners & Dyers	1138 Oxford St.,	"
Neuway Dry Cleaners	344 Richmond St.,	"
Ontario Dry Cleaners & Dyers	516 Talbot St.,	"
Spettigue, H. E.,	256 Richmond St.,	"
Big Four Cleaners & Dyers	33 Newcastle St.,	Mimico
Arrow Cleaners & Dyers	97 Lambton Ave.,	Mount Dennis
New Liskeard Dry Cleaning	Broadwood Ave.,	New Liskeard
Capital Cleaners & Dyers	Cotter St.,	Newmarket
Coburn Dry Cleaners	1837 Ferry St.,	Niagara Falls
Harrison, Sidney	1764 Ferry St.,	" "
Murray & Pennie	1965 Barker St.,	" "
Ontario Dry Cleaners	552 Victoria St.,	" "
Owen's Quality Cleaners	66 McIntyre St., E.,	North Bay
Parker's Cleaners & Dyers	146 Third Ave., W.,	" "
Gold Medal Cleaners & Dyers	21 Bond St., E.,	Oshawa
New Service Cleaners & Dyers	16 Ontario St.,	"
Pickwick Cleaners	434 Simcoe St., S.,	"
Martin, W. H. & Sons	249 Argyle Ave.,	Ottawa
Monson's Cleaners	134 Queen St.,	"
Parkers Cleaners & Dyers Ltd.,	250 Sparks St.,	"
Pattons Ltd.,	1200 Wellington St.,	"
Prosperity Cleaners Ltd.,	233 Rideau St.,	"
Star Cleaners & Dyers	317 Rideau St.,	"
Douglas and Company	986-2nd Ave., E.,	Owen Sound
Hawke's Cleaners	824-3rd. Ave., E.,	" "
Waite the Cleaners	978-3rd. Ave., E.,	" "
Parkers, Peterboro, Limited	177 Charlotte St.,	Peterboro
Palmers Dry Cleaners	58 South Algoma St.,	Port Arthur
Renfrew Cleaners & Dyers	100 Brydge St.,	Renfrew
Nash Dry Cleaners	30 Mary St.,	St. Catharines
New Method Dry Cleaners & Dyers	6 Mary St.,	" "
Reid Dry Cleaning Co.,	177 Welland Ave.,	" "
Shaw Dry Cleaners	96½ Lake St.,	" "
Aladdin Cleaners	366 Talbot St.,	St. Thomas
Allen's Cleaners & Dyers	11 Hiawatha St.,	" "
Barge's Cleaners & Dyers	116 Christina St., N.,	Sarnia
Bonnie Cleaners	179 Gore St.,	Sault Ste. Marie

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Foch's Dry Cleaning	724 Queen St., E.,	Sault Ste. Marie
New Method Cleaners	415 Queen St., E.,	" " "
City Cleaners & Dyers	287 Kathleen St.,	Sudbury
La Vogue Cleaners & Dyers	365 Copper Cliff Rd.,	"
Lebel and Johnson	142 Eyre St.,	"
United Cleaners & Dyers	40 Station St.,	"
A.B.C. Cleaners	1422 Yonge St.,	Toronto
Baker Brothers Ltd.,	109 Vaughan Road,	"
Baker Carpet Cleaning Co.,	25 Lightbourne Ave.,	"
Best Cleaners & Dyers Ltd.,	150 Kenwood Ave.,	"
Boag's Wardrobe	2216 Bloor St., W.,	"
Boston Cleaning & Dyeing Co.,	1397 Yonge St.,	"
Canadian Dyers & Cleaners Ltd.,	1597 Queen St., E.,	"
Cheeseworth Cleaners & Dyers	115 King St., W.,	"
Chester Cleaners & Dyers Ltd.,	741 Broadview Ave.,	"
Christie Cleaners & Dyers	798 Old Weston Rd.,	"
City Dye Works Ltd.,	138 Claremont St.,	"
Clean-Rite Ltd.,	425 Jane St.,	"
College Cleaners	541 College St.,	"
Crystal Cleaners & Dyers	5 Awde St.,	"
Davis Cleaners & Dyers	204 Carlton St.,	"
Downtown Valet Service	49 Adelaide St., W.,	"
Elliot Cleaners	798 St. Clair Ave., W.,	"
Ever-Ready Cleaners Ltd.,	1109 Bathurst St.,	"
Felker Bros.,	2911 Dundas St., W.,	"
French Dry Cleaners	17 Morland St.,	"
Gibsons Cleaners Ltd.,	1315 Davenport Rd.,	"
Granite Cleaners	1495 Yonge St.,	"
Harrons Cleaners & Dyers	876 Bathurst St.,	"
Independent Cleaners & Dyers Ltd.,	5 Kelvin Ave.,	"
Keith's Cleaners & Dyers	987 Dovercourt Rd.,	"
Lakeside Cleaners & Dyers	1623 Queen St., W.,	"
Langley's Ltd.,	249 Spadina Rd.,	"
McKinley, A. W.,	634 Yonge St.,	"
Modern Cleaners & Dyers	416 Oakwood Ave.,	"
Nine Minute Press Shop	341 Bay St.,	"
Parker's Dye Works Ltd.,	791 Yonge St.,	"
Pendrith Cleaners & Dyers	83 Ryerson St.,	"
Reliable Cleaners & Dyers	313 King St., W.,	"
Sherrins Dye Works	1423 Bloor St., W.,	"
Smith, H. Cleaners	757 Pape Ave.,	"
Stanley, R. D., Ltd.,	922 Millwood Rd.,	"
Sunshine Uniform Supply Ltd.,	2 Lightbourne Ave.,	"
Taylor, S. & Sons Ltd.,	2229 Queen St., E.,	"
Turco-Persian Rug Renovating Co.,	166 Duchess St.,	"
United & De Forest Cleaners & Dyers	879 Queen St., E.,	"
Varsity Cleaners & Dyers	673 College St.,	"
White, L. & Sons Ltd.,	135 St. Patrick St.,	"
Wright Bros.,	884 Kingston Rd.,	"
Associated Cleaners	96 Richmond Rd.,	Westboro
De Luxe Cleaners & Dyers	39 Chatham St., E.,	Windsor

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Ford Cleaners & Dyers	468 London St., W.,	Windsor
Jewel Cleaners	481 London St., W.,	"
Jeffrey, Nelson	295 Elm Ave.,	"
Modern Cleaners & Dyers	801 Louis Ave.,	"
Peerless Cleaners & Dyers	909 Sandwich St., E.,	"
Quality Dry Cleaners Ltd.,	401 Park St., W.,	"
Rivard Cleaners Ltd.,	783 Wyandotte St., E.,	"
Warren, The Cleaner Ltd.,	464 Crawford Ave.,	"

Manitoba

Dann, Roland	15 First St.,	Portage La Prairie
Rey, S.,	12 Royal Rd.,	" " "
Art Cleaners & Dyers Ltd.,	173 McGregor St.,	Winnipeg
Avenue Dyers & Cleaners	658 St. Mathews Ave.,	"
Davis Dyers & Cleaners	79 Sherbrooke St.,	"
Dubois Dyers & Cleaners	276 Hargrave St.,	"
Easton's Cleaners & Dyers	1198 Main St.,	"
Fort Garry Dyers & Cleaners	324 Young St.,	"
Fort Rouge Cleaners & Dyers	123 Osborne St.,	"
Graham Cleaners	338 Colony St.,	"
Henry Brothers Ltd.,	262 Gwendoline St.,	"
Morris Dye Works	744 Alexander Ave., W.,	"
Perth Dye Works Ltd.,	484 Portage Ave.,	"
Quinton Dye Works Ltd.,	Daly St. at Jessie Ave.,	"
Scotts Ltd.,	114 Lark St.,	"
Star Dry Cleaners & Dyers	558 Ellice St.,	"
Swan Cleaners & Dyers	72 Mann St., (St. Boniface)	"

Saskatchewan

French Dry Cleaners	524 Main St., N.,	Moose Jaw
Osborne, The Cleaner	58 Caribou St., W.,	" "
Capital Dry Cleaners	1858 Broad St.,	Regina
Paramount Dry Cleaners & Dyers	2941 Dewdney St.,	"
Parisian Dye Works Ltd.,	1843 Robinson St.,	"
Queen City Cleaners & Dyers Ltd.,	1720 - 12th Ave.,	"
Rose, Arthur (Regina) Ltd.,	2011 - 12th St.,	"
Service Dry Cleaners	1771 Rose St.,	"
West End Cleaners	1924 Rose St.,	"
Belgian Dry Cleaners, Ltd.,	123 - 20th St., W.,	Saskatoon
Blyth, D. & Co.,	625 Broadway	"
Broadway Dry Cleaners	208 Avenue "C" North	"
Marvin's Cleaners & Dyers Ltd.,	242 - 3rd Ave., S.,	"
Parisian Dye Works	321 Avenue "F" South,	"
Rose, Arthur Ltd.,	334 - 2nd Ave., N.,	"
Tucker & Bate	242 - 20th St., W.,	"

Alberta

Aladdin Cleaners & Dyers	1414 First St., W.,	Calgary
Apex Ltd.,	310-7th Ave., E.,	"
Calgary Cleaners & Dyers	1312-1st St., W.,	"
Dollar Cleaners & Dyers	1114-17th Ave., W.,	"
Laval Cleaners & Dyers	132-10th St., N.W.,	"
Rainbow Cleaners & Dyers	2012-4th St., W.,	"
Templetons Limited	615-17th Ave., W.,	"
Valet Cleaners & Dyers	1411-2nd St., E.,	"
Francoeur Cleaners & Dyers	Main St.,	Camrose
Capital Cleaners & Dyers Ltd.,	9686-99th St.,	Edmonton
Clean-Rite Cleaners	9546-111th Ave.,	"
Dollar Cleaners	9352-106th Ave.,	"
Expert Dyers & Cleaners Ltd.,	10056-105th St.,	"
Modern Cleaners	10450 Jasper Ave.,	"
Page, The Cleaner	9338-118th Ave.,	"
Superior Cleaners & Dyers	11071-95th St.,	"
Trudeau's Cleaning & Dye Works Ltd.,	10050-103rd St.,	"
Ironside and Park	314-6th St., S.,	Lethbridge

British Columbia

Paisley Cleaners & Dyers	522 Gore St.,	Esquimalt
Maple Leaf Cleaners	Ellis St.,	Kelowna
Paisley Dye Works	20 Nicol St.,	Nanaimo
Calam & Thomas Ltd.,	1202 Kingsway, (Burnaby)	New Westminster
Royal City Cleaners & Dyers Ltd.,	533 Clarkson St.,	" "
Ararat Oriental Rug Co.,	2221 Granville St.,	Vancouver
Associated Cleaners & Dyers Ltd.,	1638 West Third Ave.,	"
Empire Cleaners Ltd.,	910 Richards St.,	"
Granville Bros.,	1835 Granville St.,	"
Guarantee Cleaners & Dyers	1100 Union St.,	"
Ideal Cleaners & Dyers	965 Robson St.,	"
Jarvis Cleaners & Dyers	4598 Main St.,	"
Kingsway Cleaners & Dyers	1320 Kingsway	"
Metropolitan Cleaners	2158 - 12th St., W.,	"
New Method Cleaners & Dyers	1092 Robson St.,	"
Peace Cleaners	3223 Fraser Ave.,	"
Perth Dyeing & Cleaning Works Ltd.,	1752 - 2nd Ave., W.,	"
St. Clair Dye Works	3627 Commercial Drive	"
Sanitary Dry Cleaning Ltd.,	624 Howe St.,	"
Shaughnessy Heights Cleaners & Dyers	2928 Granville St.,	"
Snowflake Cleaners & Dyers	2046 - 4th St., W.,	"
Stevens, Roy	1166 Burrard St.,	"
Swan Bros., Ltd.,	402- 12th Ave., E.,	"
Vancouver Carpet Cleaning Works	561 - 14th Ave., W.,	"
Zack's Ltd., Cleaners & Dyers	2085 Main St.,	"
B. C. Dye Works	1012 Yates St.,	Victoria
Capital Cleaners & Dyers	725 Caledonia Ave.,	"
City Dye Works	844 Fort St.,	"
Nu Way Cleaners	420 William St.,	"
Pantorium Dye Works of Canada Ltd.,	905 Fort St.,	"
Togo Cleaning & Dyeing Works	758 Yates St.,	"

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