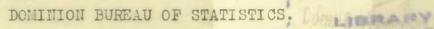
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# THE COFFEE AND SPICE INDUSTRY, 1918.

A preliminary report of the Coffee and Spice industry for the calendar year 1918 has been prepared by the Dominion Buroau of Statistics. The report covers the operations of 37 plants located in order of province as follows: Ontario 14, Quebec 8, British Columbia 6, Manitoba 4, Alberta and New Brunswick each 2 and Nova Scotia 1.

#### Capital Investment.

The amount of capital invested in the industry is given

by items and by provinces in the accompanying table:						
Provinces	Land, buildings and fixtures	Machin-	Materials on hand, stocks in process, fuel, etc.	Cash, trad- ing and	Total Capital	
Alberta and ) British Columbia)	106,465	92,975	544,635	343,605	1,087,680	
Manitoba	253,680	34,427	1,120,435	242,227	1,650,769	
Hew Brunswick &) Nova Scotia	9,000	11,000	18,500	65,333	103,833	
Ontario	483,598	196,053	854,816	411,163	1,945,630	
Quebec	74,933	57,223	356,151	338,647	826,954	
Totals	927,676	391,678	2,894,537	1,400,975	5,614,866	

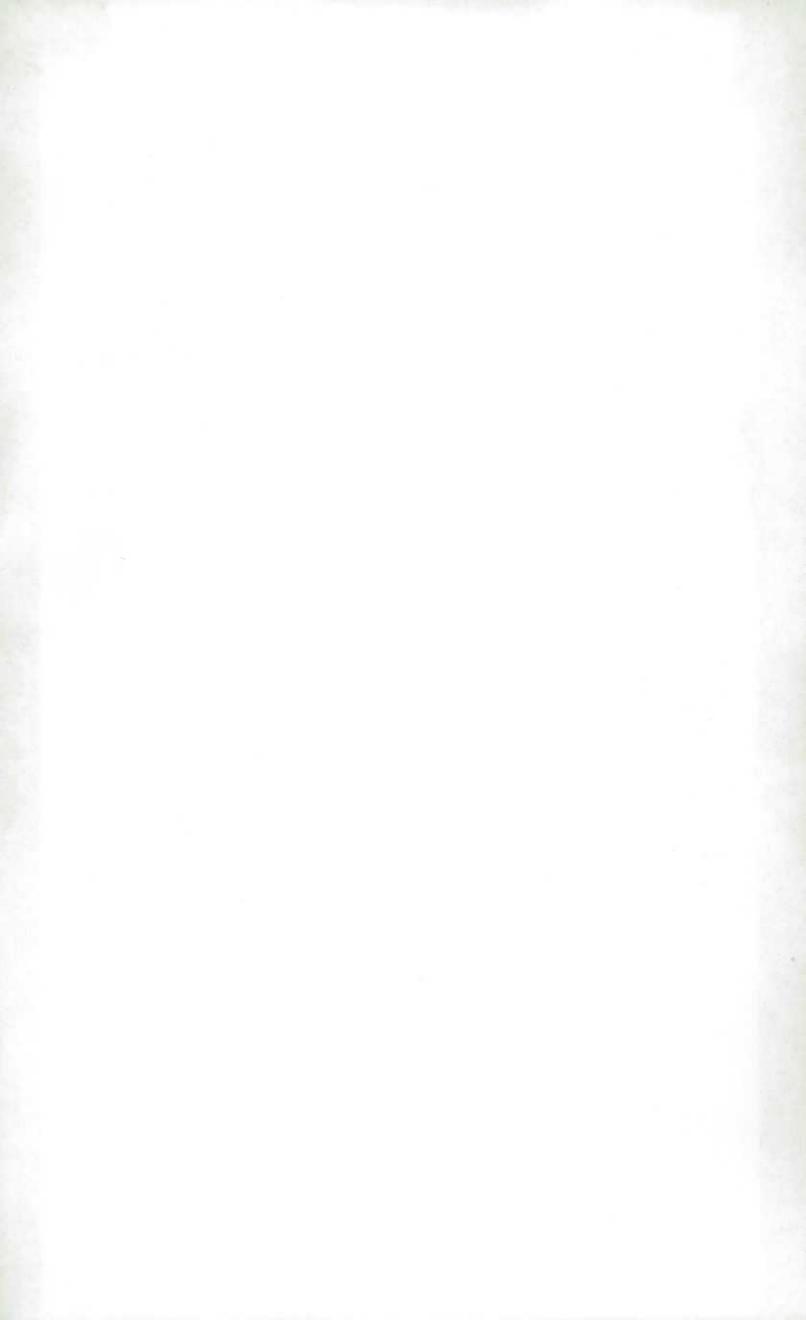
## Employees, Salaries and Wages.

The number of persons employed by sex and classes of employment are given in the following table, together with the amounts raid each class in salaries and wages:-

Maid each Class in Salaties and Wagos	No. of	employees	Salaries
Classes of employment	Male	Female	and Wages
Officers, superintendents, managers Clerks, stenographers and other	66	1	167,168
Salaried employees Wage earners, average number	137 342	55 258	173,253 384,955
Totals	545	314	725,376

The number of persons employed by classified weekly wages according to age and sex within certain specified wage groups was as follows: -

Wage groups	Over Male	la vears Pemale	Under Male	16 years Female
Under \$5 per week From \$5 to under \$10 per week From \$10 to under \$15 " " From \$15 to under \$20 " " From \$20 to under \$25 " " Over \$25 per week	1 14 60 125 85 33	47 101 9	6 1 5	00+ 0-7 0-7 
Tetals	327	157	1.0	



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Fuel and Miscellaneous Expenses.

Fuel consumption. - The cost for all fuel used, by quantities and

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Kinds of fuel	Unit of measure	Quantity	
Coal	tons	2,120	18,709 2,494
Gasoline	gallons	2,520	831
Wood Gas, natural & artificaal	cords m.cu.ft.	503 5,526	2,817
Total cost			29,266

Miscellaneous expenses. - The cost of the various items of miscellaneous expense was as shown in the table below: -

Rent of offices, works and machinery Rent of power Indurance premiums Taxes, (internal revenue, war, etc.) Taxes, (provincial, municipal, etc.) Royalties, use of patents, etc. Advertising expenses Travelling expenses Ordinary repairs to buildings, etc. All other sundry expenses	59,756 22,704 32,195 38,156 22,714 178 65,325 106,986 48,135 272,533	
Totals	668 682	

### Materials used.

The quantity and cost value delivered at the works of all materials used during the year will be found in the accompanying table:

	Unit of		Cost value
Classes of materials	measure	Quantity	at works.
Coffee beans, green	pound	12,709,918	
Spice materials Baking powder materials .	17	2,532,850	332,232
Cocca beans	gallon	1,143,451	1.50,796
Starch and glucose	pound	1,890,836	169,107
Phosphates	pound	1,257	12,181 52,681
All other materials (value on	ГУ)	-	2,399,506
Total cost			6,258,527

#### Production.

The quantity and the selling value at the factory or works of all products made during the year are given in the following table:-

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	Classes of products	Unit of measure	Quantity	Selling volue
	Baking powder	pound	2,157,022 10,795,411 3,266,548	442,030 3,410,018 1,173,915
	desicated . Cccoa and checolate . Flavouring extracts & essence	cases	19.745 871,625 299,297 2,970 167,820 555,128	4,582 267,561 437,971 4,485 277.806 113,502 2,385,736
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Total selling value

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