

# Canadian Industry Grows Despite Depression

Industrial Canada's Records Show that Manufacturers have had Sufficient Confidence in Canada to Start Several Hundred New Industries Within the Past Four Years

There appears on this and the following page a list of new industries which have been established in Canada during the years 1931, 1932, 1933 and 1934. It does not purport to be a complete list but presumably covers all the more important new industrial undertakings which have been launched during the depression years. The information is based on the record published from month to month in Industrial Canada supplemented by particulars received from a number of other reliable sources. It is felt that the publication of such a list, showing that even in the years of the world's worst depression men had sufficient confidence to venture into new manufacturing activities to the extent of several hundred, will afford encouragement and inspiration at the opening of a new year.

| Company   | Address               | Products                            |
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| Aberfoyle Mfg. Co. of Canada Ltd.               | Guelph, Ont.          | Mercerized cotton yarns             |
| Acme Carbon & Ribbon Co. Ltd.                   | Toronto, Ont.         | Carbon paper and typewriter ribbons |
| Aerotron Fly Catcher of Canada Ltd.             | Sherbrooke, Que.      | Fly catchers                        |
| Air-Way Ltd.                                    | Windsor, Ont.         | Vacuum cleaners                     |
| American Agricultural Chemical Co.              | Port Hope, Ont.       | Fertilizers                         |
| Amoco Canada Ltd.                               | Toronto, Ont.         | Garage equipment                    |
| Anglo Canadian Chamolis Co.                     | Hamilton, Ont.        | Chamolis leather                    |
| Anglo Canadian Rubber Co. Ltd.                  | Vancouver, B.C.       | Rubber goods                        |
| Anstee & Co. Ltd., Josiah                       | Toronto, Ont.         | Kitchen machinery                   |
| Arden Vancouver Salt Co.                        | Vancouver, B.C.       | Salt                                |
| Arrow Cable & Fittings Co. Ltd.                 | Toronto, Ont.         | Conduits                            |
| Arrow-Hart & Hegeman Canada, Ltd.               | Toronto, Ont.         | Electric wiring devices             |
| Automatic Air Conditioners Ltd.                 | Sherbrooke, P.Q.      | Air conditioners                    |
| Automatic Industries, Ltd.                      | Toronto, Ont.         | Games                               |
| Avalon Fabrics Ltd.                             | Stratford, Ont.       | Upholstery fabrics                  |
| Harriet Hubbard Ayer of Canada, Ltd.            | Montreal, P.Q.        | Cosmetics                           |
| Baldor Electric Co. of Canada, Ltd.             | Toronto, Ont.         | Fractional h.p. electric motors     |
| Barry & Staines Linoleum (Canada) Ltd.          | Farnham, P.Q.         | Linoleum                            |
| Barry Tanks & Welding, Ltd.                     | Montreal, P.Q.        | Tanks                               |
| Beacon Windows, Ltd.                            | Toronto, Ont.         | Steel sash                          |
| Bedford Preserving Co.                          | Bedford, N.S.         | Preserved fruits                    |
| Belleville Foundries Ltd.                       | Belleville, Ont.      | Steel tanks                         |
| Berwick By-Products Co., Ltd.                   | Berwick, N.S.         | Cider                               |
| Botany Dry Spinners, Ltd.                       | Kincardine, Ont.      | Woolen yarns                        |
| Boyle Co., A. S.                                | Walkerville, Ont.     | Floor wax                           |
| Bristol Co. of Canada Ltd.                      | Toronto, Ont.         | Recording instruments               |
| B. C. Scientific Instrument Manufacturers, Ltd. | Vancouver, B.C.       | Scientific instruments              |
| British Educator Biscuit Co. Ltd.               | Toronto, Ont.         | Biscuits                            |
| Bruce Company, E. L.                            | Toronto, Ont.         | Flooring                            |
| Burlington Refineries Ltd.                      | Hamilton, Ont.        | Gasoline                            |
| B.V.D. Co., Ltd.                                | Montreal, P.Q.        | Cotton underwear                    |
| Campbell Soup Co. Ltd.                          | New Toronto, Ont.     | Soup                                |
| Canada Flushwood Door, Ltd.                     | Terrebonne, P.Q.      | Wooden doors                        |
| Canada Kaolin Silica Products, Ltd.             | Montreal, P.Q.        | Kaolin silica products              |
| Canada Sand Papers Ltd.                         | Preston, Ont.         | Abrasive papers and cloths          |
| Canada Veneers, Ltd.                            | Saint John, N.B.      | Veneers                             |
| Canadian Bitumuls Co. Ltd.                      | Leaside, Ont.         | Asphalt emulsions                   |
| Canadian Copper Refiners Ltd.                   | Montreal, P.Q.        | Copper                              |
| Canadian Controllers Ltd.                       | Toronto, Ont.         | Electrical apparatus                |
| Canadian Fitzgerald Ltd.                        | Toronto, Ont.         | Electrical appliances               |
| Canadian Holists & Conveyors Ltd.               | Montreal, P.Q.        | Conveyors, elevators, etc.          |
| Canadian Keyes Fibre Co. Ltd.                   | Hantsport, N.S.       | Moulded paper goods                 |
| Canadian Linen Co. Ltd.                         | Vancouver, B.C.       | Cotton and linen goods              |
| Canadian Matzo Co.                              | Winnipeg, Man.        | Unleavened bread                    |
| Canadian Mechanical Rubber Corporation          | Orillia, Ont.         | Rubber goods                        |
| Canadian Radiator Mfg. Co.                      | Toronto, Ont.         | Automobile radiators                |
| Canadian Rockbestos Products Ltd.               | Montreal, P.Q.        | Industrial wires and cables         |
| Canadian Safety Clear Vision Co. Ltd.           | Hamilton, Ont.        | Windshield visors                   |
| Canadian Skate Mfg. Co. Ltd.                    | Kitchener, Ont.       | Skates                              |
| Canadian Ski & Wood Products Co. Ltd.           | Annapolis, N.S.       | Skis                                |
| Canadian Vegetable Oils Ltd.                    | Vancouver, B.C.       | Oils and oil meals                  |
| Capital City Products Ltd.                      | Ottawa, Ont.          | Cheese                              |
| Phillip Carey Mfg. Co.                          | Lennoxville, P.Q.     | Asbestos products                   |
| Castings of Canada, Ltd.                        | Smiths Falls, Ont.    | Pipe fittings and castings          |
| Catalin Corporation of Canada Ltd.              | Weston, Ont.          | Artificial vision                   |
| Cedar Lining Co. of Canada Ltd.                 | Orillia, Ont.         | Cedar linings                       |
| Champion Co.                                    | Toronto, Ont.         | Embalming fluid                     |
| Charis, Ltd.                                    | New Toronto, Ont.     | Corsets                             |
| Charlottetown Can Co. Ltd.                      | Charlottetown, P.E.I. | Cans                                |
| Clark Machinery Co.                             | London, Ont.          | Iron and woodworking machines       |
| Coezene (Canada) Ltd.                           | Toronto, Ont.         | Hygienic products                   |
| Colade, Ontario, Ltd.                           | Brantford, Ont.       | Painting material                   |
| Columbia Products, Ltd.                         | Toronto, Ont.         | Powder puffs                        |
| Comet Mfg. Co.                                  | Brantford, Ont.       | Gas radiators                       |
| Comfort Products, Ltd.                          | Toronto, Ont.         | Foot powder                         |
| Commonwealth Electric Corporation, Ltd.         | Leaside, Ont.         | Chemicals                           |
| Consolidated Lithographing Corporation          | Toronto, Ont.         | Labels                              |
| Consolidated Rendering Co.                      | Windsor, N.S.         | Soap                                |
| Continental Carbon of Canada, Ltd.              | Toronto, Ont.         | Radio resistors                     |
| Continental Car-Mar-Var Corporation             | Toronto, Ont.         | Polishes                            |
| Corona Velvets, Ltd.                            | Drummondville, P.Q.   | Dress velvets                       |
| Cow & Gate (Canada) Ltd.                        | Gananoque, Ont.       | Milk products                       |
| Crabb & Co. Ltd.                                | Winnipeg, Man.        | Peat litter                         |
| Curtis Lighting of Canada, Ltd.                 | Toronto, Ont.         | Lighting equipment                  |
| Darnell Corporation, Ltd.                       | Toronto, Ont.         | Casters                             |
| David Silk Mills of Canada Ltd., B. Edmund      | Hawkesbury, Ont.      | Jacquard silks                      |

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lations. Across the front of the factory is the assembly department. A railroad siding provides for delivery of raw materials and shipment of finished products so that a straight line flow of materials through the plant is obtained.

Canadian Food Products, who commenced operations in Calgary, Alta., early in November, report that since opening their factory the volume of business has been sufficient to keep them working overtime. The building which they have leased is a solid brick and concrete structure, three storeys in height, with 6,000 sq. ft. of floor space on each floor. They are employing 15 hands and expect to increase this number in the near future. Products manufactured include marmalade, fruit syrups, candy and peanut butter. R. W. Eamon, who is head of the firm, has been manufacturing marmalade, fruit syrups and cider for a number of years and, consequently, the new firm is starting operations with an established connection.

The Canadian Johns-Manville Co., Limited, Toronto, have moved their plant offices and display rooms to Leaside, Ont., where they are occupying 3,000 sq. ft. of space in the former Dominion Motors plant. The move has been made necessary by the company's manufacture of an increasing range of insulating products and building materials.

Canadian International Paper Co. have increased their manufacturing capacity extensively during the past ten years. At Gatineau, P.Q., they erected a new newsprint mill of 675 net tons daily capacity. At Three Rivers, P.Q., they made an addition to their newsprint mill of 360 net tons per day. At Temiskaming, P.Q., they built an addition to their bleached sulphite pulp mill, with 125 net tons daily capacity. In addition to this, International Fibre Board, Limited, a subsidiary of Canadian International

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Paper Co., erected a new mill at Gatineau, P.Q., for the manufacture of insulating building and wall board, with annual capacity of 25,000 tons. New Brunswick International Paper Co., also a subsidiary of International Paper Co., built a new mill at Dalhousie, N.B., producing newsprint with capacity of 550 tons per day.

Yocum Faust, Limited, manufacturing chemists, London, built a two-storey and basement fireproof brick and concrete building last spring and, in addition to this, have just completed a boiler house and new chimney. The total cost of the two buildings, without equipment, was about \$17,000. They have replaced several pieces of equipment throughout the past year at an expenditure of about \$2,500.

Beatty Bros., Limited, Fergus, Ont., made the following additions to their plant during the past ten years: 1925, 51,806 sq. ft.; 1926, 35,812 sq. ft.; 1927, 20,736 sq. ft.; 1928, 71,524 sq. ft.; 1929, 29,168 sq. ft. No further extensions were made until 1934, when 13,824 sq. ft. were added to accommodate a non-ferrous foundry and to extend factory stores. The total floor space covered by head office and Hill St. plant at Fergus is 371,540 sq. ft. or 8.53 acres. Their Grand River woodworking plant at Fergus covers 1.11 acres and the Chelsea Green foundry at London 1.41 acres. Extensive additions to the Hill St. plant are planned for 1935 as part of a scheme of rearrangement for departments to admit of larger operation of line assembly. Large warehouses have been purchased or built at Vancouver, Edmonton, Montreal, London, England, and Wellington, New Zealand, while retail stores or branches were opened in 90 of the larger centres of Canada, England and New Zealand. In 1930 the entire Hill St. and Grand River plants were covered by sprinkler systems at a cost of \$62,000. In the last ten years practically every machine in the Hill St. plant has been replaced, more than \$100,000 of new, improved equipment having been added in 1934. A complete plant for hot and electro galvanizing has been built and equipped. Nickel, chromium and cadmium plating plants have also been installed.

Shell Oil Company of British Columbia, Limited, Vancouver, built a refinery in Burnaby on the South Bank of Upper Burrard Inlet, oppo-

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| Dawson Iron Works Ltd.                                 | Guelph, Ont.           | Castings                          |
| Defiance Spark Plugs, Ltd.                             | Windsor, Ont.          | Spark plugs                       |
| De Jur Products, Ltd.                                  | Sarnia, Ont.           | Radio condensers                  |
| Dixon Pencil Co. Ltd. of Canada                        | Newmarket, Ont.        | Pencils                           |
| Dominion Lock Co. Ltd.                                 | Montreal, P.Q.         | Locks                             |
| Dominion Panel Works                                   | Listowel, Ont.         | Veneer and panels                 |
| Donahue Corporation of Canada, Ltd.                    | St. Hyacinthe, P.Q.    | Elastic and automobile trimmings  |
| Downs, Coulter & Co. (Canada) Ltd.                     | Trenton, Ont.          | Worsted                           |
| Drumheller Flour Mill Syndicate                        | Drumheller, Alta.      | Flour                             |
| Drying Systems, Ltd.                                   | Ottawa, Ont.           | Air conditioning equipment        |
| Dudley Lock of Canada, Ltd.                            | Toronto, Ont.          | Locks                             |
| Dun Cigar Co., Ltd., R. G.                             | London, Ont.           | Cigars                            |
| Duralth Canada, Ltd.                                   | Montreal, P.Q.         | Wall finishing material           |
| Eagle Pencil Co. of Canada Ltd.                        | Drummondville, P.Q.    | Pencils                           |
| Eldorado Gold Mines Ltd.                               | Port Hope, Ont.        | Radium                            |
| Electrolux (Canada), Ltd.                              | Montreal, P.Q.         | Vacuum cleaners                   |
| Esmond Mills, Ltd.                                     | Granby, P.Q.           | Blankets                          |
| Erie Resistor of Canada, Ltd.                          | Toronto, Ont.          | Radio parts                       |
| Essex Wire Corporation                                 | Windsor, Ont.          | Insulated wire                    |
| Everett & Barron of Canada, Ltd.                       | Toronto, Ont.          | Shoe dressing, leather dyes, etc. |
| Faith Products Co., Ltd.                               | Toronto, Ont.          | Small metal goods                 |
| Fasterite, Ltd.  | Halifax, N.S.          | Fish meal                         |
| Federated Cereal Mills                                 | Halifax, N.S.          | Cereals                           |
| Felt Crafters, Ltd.                                    | Galt, Ont.             | Toys                              |
| Film Laboratories of Canada, Ltd.                      | Toronto, Ont.          | Motion picture films              |
| Fine Foods of Canada, Ltd.                             | Tecumseh, Ont.         | Canned goods                      |
| Fitch Co. Ltd., F. W.                                  | Toronto, Ont.          | Toilet preparations               |
| Fleet Aircraft of Canada, Ltd.                         | Port Erie, Ont.        | Aeroplanes                        |
| Fowler Co., F. S.                                      | Toronto, Ont.          | Sausage casings                   |
| Frigidaire Corporation                                 | Toronto, Ont.          | Electric refrigerators            |
| General Printing Ink Corporation of Canada, Ltd.       | Toronto, Ont.          | Printing ink                      |
| General Tire & Rubber Co., Ltd.                        | Toronto, Ont.          | Tires                             |
| Gilbey, Ltd., W. & A.                                  | New Toronto, Ont.      | Gin                               |
| Globe Envelopes, Ltd.                                  | Toronto, Ont.          | Envelopes                         |
| Paige, Graham, Motors Corporation                      | Walkerville, Ont.      | Automobiles                       |
| Gravette Boats, Ltd.                                   | Gravenhurst, Ont.      | Boats                             |
| Griffith Laboratories, Ltd., A. P.                     | Toronto, Ont.          | Chemicals                         |
| Green Co. of Canada, Ltd.                              | Toronto, Ont.          | Fire brick                        |
| Haidar Canneries, Ltd.                                 | Dartmouth, N.S.        | Canned goods                      |
| Hall Mfg. Co. of Canada Ltd.                           | Walkerville, Ont.      | Automobile equipment              |
| Hemafill Co. Ltd.                                      | Walkerville, Ont.      | Patent medicines                  |
| Herbert Hosiery Mills                                  | Toronto, Ont.          | Hosiery                           |
| Hess & Clark, Ltd.                                     | London, Ont.           | Live stock remedies               |
| Hield Brothers, Ltd.                                   | Kingston, Ont.         | Worsted                           |
| H. Holdroyd & Son                                      | Toronto, Ont.          | Worsted yarns                     |
| Holtite Rubber Co. of Canada, Ltd.                     | Drummondville, P.Q.    | Soles and heels                   |
| Horrocks-Ibbotson Co. of Canada, Ltd.                  | Grimsby, Ont.          | Fishing tackle                    |
| Hudson Essex of Canada, Ltd.                           | Tilbury, Ont.          | Automobiles                       |
| Hump Hairpin Mfg. Co.                                  | St. Hyacinthe, P.Q.    | Hairpins                          |
| Huntington Laboratories, Ltd.                          | Toronto, Ont.          | Drugs                             |
| Ideal Containers, Ltd.                                 | Toronto, Ont.          | Cardboard containers              |
| Ideal Power Productions Ltd.                           | Ottawa, Ont.           | Belting                           |
| International Carbo-Ice Ltd.                           | Leaside, Ont.          | Dry ice                           |
| International Fertilizers Ltd.                         | Quebec, P.Q.           | Fertilizers                       |
| International Lithographing Co., Ltd.                  | Toronto, Ont.          | Lithography                       |
| International Printing Ink Corporation of Canada, Ltd. | Toronto, Ont.          | Printing ink                      |
| International Resistance Co. Ltd.                      | Toronto, Ont.          | Radio resistors                   |
| Iron Fireman Mfg. Co. of Canada, Ltd.                  | Toronto, Ont.          | Stokers                           |
| Island Fertilizer Co., Ltd.                            | Charlottetown, P.E.I.  | Fertilizers                       |
| Johnson Woolen Mills, Ltd.                             | Waterville, P.Q.       | Woolens                           |
| Justite Co., Ltd.                                      | Toronto, Ont.          | Pet foods                         |
| Kelboy Mfg. Co., Ltd.                                  | Toronto, Ont.          | Toys                              |
| Kellogg Mfg. Co., Ltd.                                 | Toronto, Ont.          | Air compressors                   |
| Kester Solder Co. of Canada, Ltd.                      | Brantford, Ont.        | Solders                           |
| L. & L. Textiles, Ltd.                                 | Toronto, Ont.          | Hat linings                       |
| Lackawanna Leather Co. of Canada, Ltd.                 | Toronto, Ont.          | Leather                           |
| La Salle Stair Cushion Co., Ltd.                       | Leaside, Ont.          | Cosmetics                         |
| Lancashire Felt Co. of Canada Ltd.                     | Guelph, Ont.           | Felt                              |
| La Salle Stair Cushion Co., Ltd.                       | Toronto, Ont.          | Stairway coverings                |
| Leland Electric of Canada, Ltd.                        | Toronto, Ont.          | Electric goods                    |
| Lincoln Shoe Co.                                       | Port Perry, Ont.       | Children's shoes                  |
| Lincoln Electric Co. of Canada, Ltd.                   | Montreal, P.Q.         | Electrical fixtures               |
| Liquid Fibre Co.                                       | Toronto, Ont.          | Cement                            |
| Lloyd Refining Co.                                     | Port Credit, Ont.      | Gasoline                          |
| Lockport Co., Ltd.                                     | Lockport, N.S.         | Fish products                     |
| Long Mfg. Co.  | East Windsor, Ont.     | Automotive radiators and clutches |
| Lunenburg Canneries, Ltd.                              | Bridgewater, N.S.      | Canned goods                      |
| Lunenburg Sea Products Co., Ltd.                       | Lunenburg, N.S.        | Sea foods                         |
| Lynn Canadian Products Ltd.                            | Brookville, Ont.       | Oil burners                       |
| Mack, Miller Candle Co. Ltd.                           | Niagara Falls, Ont.    | Candles                           |
| Mack Moulding Ltd.                                     | Waterloo, P.Q.         | Moulded goods                     |
| Mackintosh & Sons (Canada) Ltd., John                  | Toronto, Ont.          | Toffee                            |
| Manhattan Mills, Ltd.                                  | Granby, P.Q.           | Dress goods                       |
| Marden Wild of Canada, Ltd.                            | Halifax, N.S.          | Tanning oils                      |
| Marletta Paint Co.                                     | Toronto, Ont.          | Enamel                            |
| Marlette Paper Products Ltd.                           | Port Erie, Ont.        | Shipping containers               |
| Markel Electric Products Ltd.                          | Guelph, Ont.           | Electric fixtures and heaters     |
| Maytag Co. Ltd.  | Port Erie, Ont.        | Pickles and vinegar               |
| McCormick & Co. (Canada) Ltd.                          | Toronto, Ont.          | Washing machines                  |
| McKee's, Limited                                       | Toronto, Ont.          | Spices, extracts, etc.            |
| Mennie Mfg. Co.  | Regina, Sask.          | Candy                             |
| Metal Textile Corporation of Canada, Ltd.              | Toronto, Ont.          | Chemicals                         |
| Michigan Maple Block Co. of Canada Ltd.                | Hamilton, Ont.         | Wire cleaning utensils            |
| Miles Automatic Furnace Fans, Ltd.                     | Sault Ste. Marie, Ont. | Butcher blocks                    |
| Milton Wood Products Co. Ltd.                          | Ingersoll, Ont.        | Furnace fans                      |
| Mimeograph Co. Ltd.                                    | Milton, Ont.           | Hockey sticks                     |
| Modern Tool Co., Ltd.                                  | Toronto, Ont.          | Stencil papers & mimeograph ink   |
| Mohawk Mills, Ltd.                                     | Toronto, Ont.          | Jigs, dies                        |
| Mor-Fread Candies, Ltd.                                | Hamilton, Ont.         | Woolen yarns                      |
| Morrow & Co.   | Edmonton, Alta.        | Candy                             |
| Murphy Phoenix Products, Ltd.                          | Toronto, Ont.          | Cereals                           |
| National Cellulose Co. of Canada, Ltd.                 | Toronto, Ont.          | Cleaners                          |
| National Silicates Ltd.                                | Toronto, Ont.          | Paper specialties                 |
| Nestle-Le Mur Co. (Canada) Ltd.                        | New Toronto, Ont.      | Sodium silicate                   |
| New Brunswick Potato Products Ltd.                     | Toronto, Ont.          | Cosmetics                         |
| Noma Electric Co. of Canada, Ltd.                      | Hartland, N.B.         | Starch                            |
| Norfolk Leaf Tobacco Co. Ltd.                          | Toronto, Ont.          | Christmas tree decorations        |
| Norfolk Planters Ltd.                                  | Tilsonburg, Ont.       | Tobacco                           |
| Norfolk Corporation of Canada Ltd.                     | Toronto, Ont.          | Tobacco                           |
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