

The ports at which the ships built in 1866, together with such other information as the official returns give, are as follows:—

ONTARIO.

	No.	Tons.		No.	Tons.
Brighton	1	62	Oakville	2	209
Burwell	3	39	Ottawa	1	50
Chatham	2	102	Owen Sound	1	22
Dalhousie	5	1,244	Pictou	3	245
Dover	5	218	Sarnia	1	17
Dunnville	3	320	Saugen	1	100
Hope	1	181	Toronto	1	34
Kingston	7	5,359	Total	38	8,693
Napanee	1	149			

Of these 2 of 430 tons built at Dalhousie, and 1 of 233 tons built at Kingston, were steamers; the balance, sailing vessels.

QUEBEC.

	No.	Tons.		No.	Tons.
Amherst	2	35	New Carlisle	3	173
Gaspe	3	121	Quebec	109	44,783
Montreal	14	1869	Total	131	46,981

Of these, 6 of 453 tons, built at Quebec, were steamers—the rest sailing craft.

NOVA SCOTIA.

	No.	Tons.		No.	Tons.
Annapolis	8	1,970	Pictou	18	4,695
Arichat	9	900	Port Hawkesbury	3	203
Baddeck	2	61	Pugwash	12	1,497
Digby	21	3,062	Shelbourne	30	2,237
Guysborough	3	125	Sydney	6	690
Halifax	62	12,070	Windsor	31	8,718
Liverpool	19	2,515	Yarmouth	42	12,372
Lunenburg	26	1,506	Total	300	53,955
Parrsborough	8	1,334			

Of these, 2 built at Halifax and 1 at Pugwash were steamers, tonnage not given—the rest sailing vessels, principally schooners. The value of the whole is given at \$2,388,580.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

St. John	85 vessels, 34,717 tons, of which 2 of 585 were steam.
Miramichi	23 vessels, 61,570 tons, all sail.
St. Andrews	4 vessels, 635 tons, all sail.
Total	118 vessels, 45,922 tons.

This shows the average tonnage of the vessels built to be—in Ontario, 229 tons; in Quebec, 358 tons; in Nova Scotia, 179 tons; in New Brunswick, 389.

III. TONNAGE, INWARD AND OUTWARD.

We give the available statistics on the subject very briefly, and with some reluctance, because of their utter unreliability. The tables show, for the fiscal years ending in 1866:—

	Entered inwards from sea.		Entered outwards for sea.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Canada, i. e., Ontario & Quebec.	1,939	900,365	1,952	890,202
Nova Scotia	6,552	978,070	6,130	969,022
New Brunswick	4,429	899,292	4,261	960,285
Total	12,920	2,777,727	12,343	2,819,509

In addition to this the following tonnage is given as to the Tonnage, exclusive of ferryage, on the Lakes between Canada and the United States:—

	Inwards.		Outwards.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Canadian	16,225	2,286,797	12,844	2,224,419
American	7,797	2,257,295	7,770	2,206,990
Total	24,022	4,544,092	20,614	4,431,409