

If we look at the figures of Canadian trade for a number of years back we shall see how rapidly and greatly it has augmented. Let us take two decennial periods. One between the years 1850 and 1859, inclusive, shows as follows:—

Years.	Total Trade.
1850	\$29,703,497
1851	34,805,461
1852	35,594,100
1853	55,782,739
1854	63,548,515
1855	61,274,630
1856	75,631,404
1857	66,437,222
1858	52,550,461
1859	58,299,242

And another between the years 1860 and 1869, inclusive, shows as follows:—

Years.	Total Trade.
1860	\$68,955,093
1861	76,119,843
1862	79,398,067
1863	81,458,335
1864 1 year	34,586,054
1864-5	80,644,951
1865-6	96,479,738
1866-7	94,791,860
1867-8	119,797,879
1868-9	119,411,514

If we add the two last fiscal years we have the same rate of increase:—

Years.	Total Trade.
1869	\$130,889,946
1870	148,387,820

It thus appears that the increase is nearly six-fold in 1870 as compared with 1850.

Fiscal Year ended June 30, 1870, showing the quantity and value of each article:

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.
Animals—Horses... No.	182	19,281
Horned cattle " "	54	8,852
Swine " "	1,626	23,224
Sheep " "	151	3,113
Acid sulphuric..... Lbs.	1,969,613	44,448
CordialsGals.	1,719	3,423
Perfum'd spirits, not in Flasks " "	1,734	4,749
Perfumed spirits in Flasks, from 7th April only, under new tariff. No.	17,774	3,453
TincturesGals.	190	310
Brandy " "	302,836	373,566
Gin " "	473,006	206,595
Rum " "	218,505	105,827
Whiskey " "	131,584	107,248
Spirits and Strong waters " "	2,199	1,751
Spirits—unenumerated " "	124	201
Oil—Coal and Kerosene, distilled, purified, and refined " "	106,554	32,603
Oil—Benzole, Naphtha, and refined Petroleum " "	26,371	6,493
Products of Petroleum " "	31,570	7,314
Crude Petroleum... " "	15,968	5,133
Molasses for refining purposes " "	1,940,389	34,966
Coffee, green..... Lbs.	1,545,964	186,756
Coffee, ground or roasted " "	13,008	1,018
Chicory, raw or Green " "	7,030	336
Chicory, roasted or ground " "	179,911	7,877
Common Soap..... " "	432,691	20,600
Starch " "	151,243	12,039
Cigars — Value not over \$10 per mille Mille	9,489	45,892
" Value over \$10 and not over \$20 per mille " "	2,213	35,839
" Value over \$20 and not over \$40 per mille " "	1,033	31,519
" Value over \$40 per mille " "	203	10,850
" New Tariff, from 7th Ap. only Lbs.	25,944	28,751
Butter " "	2,092	388
Cheese " "	59,494	10,582
Lard and Tallow... " "	337,602	85,820
Fish, salted or smoked " "	454,011	26,275
MaltBush.	19,415	30,095
Meats, fresh, salted or smoked Lbs.	4,117,380	522,390
Coal and Coke, from 7th April, under new tariff Tons.	114,272	375,086
Salt, from 7th April, under new tariff. Bush.	6,597	2,265
Hops, from 7th Ap., under new tariff. Lbs.	6,076	1,636
Rice, from 7th April under new Tariff. " "	1,418,021	35,017
Vinegar and Acetic AcidGals.	178,408	30,061
Wheat, from 7th		

SUMMARY STATEMENT (by Provinces) showing the Total Value of Exports, the Total Value of Goods Imported and Entered for Consumption, and the Amount of Duties collected in the Dominion of Canada, during the Fiscal Year ending 30th June, 1870.

PROVINCES.	Total Exports.	Total Imports.	Entered for Consumption.	Duties.
Ontario	\$ 24,659,399	\$ 26,135,176	\$ 24,530,457	\$ 2,421,710 80
Quebec	37,807,468	32,883,916	32,166,288	4,860,859 31
Nova Scotia	5,803,417	8,940,800	8,008,931	1,162,592 51
New Brunswick	5,303,206	6,854,447	6,532,827	1,017,777 82
Grand Total	73,573,490	74,814,339	71,237,603	9,462,940 44

The following is a summary statement of the principal articles entered for consumption in the Dominion of Canada during the