

inclusive. The light stations in Newfoundland that are maintained by the Dominion are included in these figures :

NUMBER OF LIGHTHOUSES, &c., IN CANADA, 1868-1888.

YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER.	Light Stations.	Lighthouses	Fog-Whistles.	Automatic Fog-Horns.
1868.....	198	227	2
1869.....	219	233	2
1870.....	240	278	4
1871.....	264	297	8
1872.....	280	314	13
1773.....	316	363	17
1874.....	342	384	18
1875.....	377	444	22
1876.....	407	488	24
1877.....	416	509	25	2
1878.....	427	518	25	4
1879.....	443	542	23	6
1880.....	452	551	22	7
1881.....	462	553	23	9
1882.....	470	562	23	9
1883.....	484	578	23	9
1884.....	507	597	23	10
1885.....	526	617	23	12
1886.....	534	625	23	16
1887.....	561	658	23	24
1888.....	569	664	23	27

Increase
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418. It will be seen that there was no less than 371 light stations, 437 lighthouses, 21 fog-whistles and 27 fog-horns more than there were in 1868, without taking into account the large number of bell-buoys, buoys and beacons that have also been supplied since then.

Total
number of
lights
whistles,
&c., 1888.

419. The total number of light-stations in the Dominion on 1st December, 1888, was 569; of lights shown, 664; of steam fog-whistles and automatic fog-horns, 50; and of lightkeepers, engineers of fog-whistles, assistants and crews of lightships, 722; while the whole number of persons employed on the outside service was 1,486. The lights, beacons, &c., were distributed among the several divisions as follow :—