

The figures in the foregoing table will probably be found interesting, as giving some idea of the enormous quantities of some kinds of fish that are taken annually, though they are almost too large to convey any really correct impression.

Quantities and values of certain kinds of fish, 1869-1889.

521. The next table is a summary of the quantities and values of the same fish, taken during the period :—

CANADIAN FISHERIES.

TOTAL QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF CERTAIN KINDS OF FISH TAKEN DURING THE YEARS 1869-1889.

KINDS OF FISH.		Quantity.	Value.
			\$
Cod and ling.....	Cwt.	18,998,457	79,618,468
Haddock.....	Lbs.	242,753,330	9,653,325
Mackerel, pickled.....	Brls.	2,884,572	} 29,278,974
“ fresh, in cans.....	Lbs.	5,934,721	
Herring, pickled.....	Brls.	7,571,204	} 37,969,124
“ smoked.....	Boxes.	19,344,661	
“ fresh.....	Lbs.	34,870,538	
“ frozen.....	No.	175,667,210	} 23,351,525
Salmon, pickled.....	Brls.	149,126	
“ smoked and fresh and in cans.....	Lbs.	166,719,463	} 33,801,216
Lobsters.....	“	274,754,599	
Smelts.....	“	60,187,555	3,379,676
Fish oils.....	Galls.	17,523,348	9,626,323

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THE FISHERY LAWS OF THE DOMINION.

TABLE of Close Seasons in force on 31st December, 1889.

KINDS OF FISH.	Ontario.	Quebec.	Nova Scotia.	New Brunswick	P. E. Island.	Manitoba and N.-W. T.
Salmon (net fishing).....		Aug. 1 to May 1.	Aug. 15 to March 1	Aug. 15 to March 1		
Salmon (angling).....		Aug. 15 to Feb. 1.	Aug. 15 to Feb. 1.	Aug. 15 to Feb. 1.		
Speckled Trout (<i>Salvelinus Fontinalis</i>).....	Sep. 15 to May 1.	Oct. 1 to Jan. 1.	Oct. 1 to April 1.	Oct. 1 to April 1.	Oct. 1 to Dec. 1.	Oct. 1 to Jan. 1.
Large Grey Trout, Lunge, Winnish and Landlocked Salmon.....		Oct. 15 to Dec. 1.	Oct. 1 to April 1.	Oct. 1 to April 1.		