

TONNAGE BY PROVINCES—*Con.*

PROVINCE OF	Year.	—	Tons.
New Brunswick .....	1876-80	British.....	533,221
	1889-93	“ .....	520,243
	1876-80	Canadian.....	1,949,174
	1889-93	“ .....	1,851,817
	1876-80	Foreign .....	2,727,921
	1889-93	“ .....	3,562,338
Prince Edward Island .....	1876-80	British .....	24,849
	1889-93	“ .....	79,860
	1876-80	Canadian .....	351,012
	1889-93	“ .....	194,196
	1876-80	Foreign .....	348,701
	1889-93	“ .....	225,522
British Columbia.....	1876-80	British .....	140,895
	1889-93	“ .....	1,215,457
	1876-80	Canadian.....	130,623
	1889-93	“ .....	65,914
	1876-80	Foreign .....	1,568,811
	1889-93	“ .....	7,646,588

1068. British tonnage has increased in the province of Quebec, in Nova Scotia and in Prince Edward Island and British Columbia. It has decreased in New Brunswick. Canadian tonnage has increased in Nova Scotia and decreased in Quebec, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island and British Columbia. Foreign tonnage has increased in Quebec, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and British Columbia, and decreased in Prince Edward Island.

1069. The following table shows the nationalities of vessels doing the Canadian carrying trade by sea, by five year periods, with percentage of each nationality to total tonnage in and out carrying cargo :—

YEAR.	BRITISH.		CANADIAN.		FOREIGN.	
	Tons.	p. c.	Tons.	p. c.	Tons.	p. c.
1869-73.....	16,765,848	77·8	.....	.....	4,780,634	22·2
1874-78.....	11,486,233	49·6	4,152,296	17·9	7,527,055	32·2
1879-83.....	12,196,098	43·9	6,957,066	25·0	8,638,621	31·1
1884-88.....	13,319,072	41·9	7,175,669	22·6	11,272,594	35·5
1889-93.....	15,963,726	41·4	6,433,836	16·7	16,159,854	41·9
1893.....	3,396,495	42·3	1,521,441	19·1	3,100,615	38·7