

989. The following table is a comparative statement by countries of the value of total imports into Canada in the years 1893 and 1894 :—

COUNTRIES.	VALUE OF TOTAL IMPORTS.		Increase.	Decrease.
	1893.	1894.		
	\$	\$	\$	\$
United States.....	65,065,846	62,907,431		2,158,415
Great Britain.....	43,305,225	38,747,249		4,557,976
Germany.....	3,764,642	5,871,065	2,106,423	
France.....	2,846,995	2,510,379		336,616
Spanish West Indies.....	2,439,995	2,479,343	40,266	
British West Indies.....	1,290,329	1,265,509		24,820
Spanish Possessions, all other.....	2,204,569	1,135,008		1,069,561
China.....	972,052	1,162,225	190,173	
Japan.....	1,498,061	1,413,844		84,217
Brazil.....	112,429	138,305	26,476	
Belgium.....	598,918	541,268		57,650
Newfoundland.....	652,280	814,979	162,699	
Spain.....	318,121	390,697	72,576	
Holland.....	399,707	328,656		71,051
Australia.....	217,803	156,534		61,269
Austria.....	173,066	155,952		17,114
British Guiana.....	348,615	503,697	155,082	
Greece.....	136,247	104,797		31,450
Switzerland.....	262,811	283,269	20,458	
Italy.....	417,044	516,264	99,220	
British East Indies.....	168,994	176,301	7,307	
Turkey.....	171,637	273,572	101,935	
British Africa.....	189,925	16,722		173,203
St. Pierre.....	63,048	189,691	126,693	
Portugal.....	55,707	44,263		11,444
Venezuela.....	266,012	236,963		29,149
Dutch East Indies.....	1,041,244	1,006,861		34,383
Norway and Sweden.....	36,300	40,805	4,505	
French West Indies.....	5,445	5,019		426
Russia.....	4,451	4,346		105
Danish West Indies.....	5,504	10,462	4,958	
United States of Columbia.....	481	1,348	867	
Denmark.....	15,466	4,564		10,902
Argentine Republic.....	2,849	7,733	4,884	
Mexico.....	833	698		135
Dutch West Indies.....	2,936	441		2,495
Iceland.....	88	159	71	
Egypt.....	16,928	590		16,338
Arabia.....	1,528	1,757	229	
Hawaii.....	709	14,705	13,996	
Maderia.....	238	591	353	
Siam.....		56	56	
Central American States.....		8,956	8,956	
French Possessions in Africa.....		555	555	
Other countries.....	108	811	703	
Total.....	129,074,268	123,474,940		5,599,328

990. There was an increase in imports from twenty-three countries and a decrease from twenty-one, the largest increase being \$2,106,423 from Germany, and the largest decreases being in imports from the United