

1300. The following table gives the number and tonnage of sea-going vessels entered and cleared at the principal ports of the Dominion in 1894:

PORTS.	VESSELS ENTERED AND CLEARED.					
	British.		Foreign.		Total.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Chicoutimi, Que.....	21	19,061	24	14,190	45	33,251
Montreal, Que.....	810	1,531,749	90	151,138	900	1,682,887
Quebec, Que.....	416	711,270	371	341,941	787	1,053,211
Annapolis, N.S.....	101	15,503	13	4,884	114	20,387
Baddeck, N.S.....	77	14,210	51	20,826	128	35,036
Canso, N.S.....	479	45,865	247	21,899	726	67,764
Cow Bay, N.S.....	126	35,320	4	335	130	35,655
Digby, N.S.....	46	5,119	15	1,187	61	6,306
Glace Bay, N.S.....	89	41,715	8	551	97	42,266
Halifax, N.S.....	1,785	1,113,579	399	216,098	2,184	1,329,677
Liverpool, N.S.....	81	11,855	443	36,279	524	48,134
Lunenburg, N.S.....	474	49,447	3	303	477	49,750
North Sydney, N.S.....	750	159,542	117	33,236	867	192,778
Parrsboro', N.S.....	223	72,517	51	43,489	274	116,006
Pictou, N.S.....	54	33,739	62	49,116	116	82,855
Port Hawkesbury, N.S.....	42	5,238	78	52,707	120	57,945
River Hebert, N.S.....	128	18,059	87	15,023	215	33,082
Sydney, N.S.....	504	273,389	43	14,736	547	288,125
Windsor, N.S.....	317	110,265	37	18,384	354	128,649
Yarmouth, N.S.....	669	252,021	345	33,999	1,014	286,020
Baie Verte, N.B.....	1	438	47	30,962	48	31,400
Chatham, N.B.....	73	62,214	118	83,146	191	145,360
Dalhousie, N.B.....	12	3,661	49	26,920	61	30,581
Hillsboro', N.B.....	96	27,688	114	31,661	210	59,349
Newcastle, N.B.....	61	38,434	38	25,651	99	64,085
Sackville, N.B.....	46	5,731	48	30,568	94	36,299
Shediac, N.B.....	5	1,309	54	27,120	59	28,429
St. Andrew's, N.B.....	197	22,248	1,288	189,580	1,485	211,828
St. John, N.B.....	2,667	514,925	768	508,730	3,435	1,023,655
Comox, B.C.....	10	11,834	96	160,389	106	172,223
Nanaimo, B.C.....	81	102,841	899	579,773	980	682,614
Vancouver, B.C.....	144	211,234	419	397,677	563	608,911
Victoria, B.C.....	461	293,659	1,390	1,194,134	1,851	1,487,793
Charlottetown, P.E.I.....	102	30,627	101	87,956	203	118,583

These statistics do not indicate the shipping business of the ports in its entirety, as they do not include the coasting vessels. For this the Harbour Commissioners' reports are the only available source. For instance, North Sydney, according to the Commissioners' report, had in 1894 shipping in its port to the amount of 701,242 tons, divided as follows:—Ocean steamers 588, of 520,655 tons; coasting steamers 85, of 12,500 tons; ships 6, of 8,070 tons; barques 140, of 61,653 tons; brigantines 38, of 9,797 tons, and schooners 1,040, of 88,567 tons. In 1873, North Sydney's returns were 1,033 vessels of 245,208 tons; in 1879, 1153 vessels of 245,220 tons, and in 1895, 1897 vessels of 701,242 tons.