

824. The exports are subdivided into (a) exports of Canadian produce and (b) exports of foreign articles.

The following table shows the relative values of the domestic (including estimated amount short returned at inland ports) and the foreign exports :—

YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE.	CANADIAN PRODUCE. *			FOREIGN PRODUCE. *
	Value.	Value per head.	Percentage of total Exports.	
	\$	\$ cts.	p. c.	
1868.....	48,504,899	14 38	81·26	4,196,821
1869.....	52,400,772	15 35	86·65	3,855,801
1870.....	59,043,590	17 09	80·02	6,527,622
1871.....	57,630,024	16 38	77·70	9,853,244
1872.....	65,831,083	18 24	79·66	12,798,182
1873.....	76,538,025	20 86	85·24	9,405,910
1874.....	76,741,997	20 06	85·89	10,614,096
1875.....	69,709,823	17 94	89·50	7,137,319
1876.....	72,491,437	18 35	89·53	7,234,961
1877.....	68,030,546	16 95	89·66	7,111,108
1878.....	67,989,800	16 67	84·45	11,164,878
1879.....	62,431,025	15 07	87·32	8,355,644
1880.....	72,899,697	17 29	82·92	13,240,006
1881.....	83,944,701	19 36	85·40	13,375,117
1882.....	94,137,657	21 48	92·17	7,628,453
1883.....	87,702,431	19 79	89·41	9,751,773
1884.....	79,833,098	17 80	87·34	9,389,106
1885.....	79,131,735	17 44	88·67	8,079,646
1886.....	77,756,704	16 95	91·21	7,438,079
1887.....	80,960,909	17 47	90·44	8,549,333
1888.....	81,382,072	17 37	90·22	8,803,394
1889.....	80,272,456	16 95	90·00	6,938,455
1890.....	85,257,586	17 80	88·12	9,051,781
1891.....	88,671,738	18 29	90·10	8,798,631
1892.....	99,032,466	20 20	86·90	13,121,791
1893.....	105,488,798	21 34	88·97	8,941,856
1894.....	103,851,764	20 68	88·37	11,833,805
1895.....	102,828,441	20 23	90·49	6,485,043

*Not including Coin and Bullion.

From this table it appears, first, that the per head value of exports of Canada was greater in 1893 than in any previous year with the single exception of 1882, and was \$1.11 more than in 1895. Second, that the per head value in 1895 was 11·6 per cent greater than the average for the twenty-eight years of Confederation. Third, that divided into five-year periods the proportions of foreign produce in the total exports of the Dominion were : 1868-72, 10·68 per cent ; 1873-77, 10·03 per cent ; 1878-82, 12·24 per cent ; 1883-87, 9·54 per cent ; 1888-92, 9·06 per cent ; 1893, 7·54 per cent ; in 1894, 10·07 per cent, and in 1895, 5·71 per cent. Thus the general trend is towards a larger proportion of our exports being our own produce, although in 1892 the proportion of the exports that were of foreign production was considerably more than the ten years previous.

825. Divided into classes according to their sources, the exports of Canada are as under :—