

PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.

	1898.		1899.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	Tons.	\$	Tons.	\$
Great Britain.....	1,939	94,539	1,418	66,623
United States.....	14,570	364,734	12,488	361,401
Germany.....	1,800	43,295	377	12,052
Belgium.....	115	7,800	237	13,100
Total.....	18,424	510,368	14,520	453,176

GYPSUM.

Gypsum is at present worked only in Ontario, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, though deposits of a certain quality have been found in Manitoba and the Territories.

PRODUCTION AND EXPORTS OF CRUDE GYPSUM, 1886-99.

Year.	PRODUCTION.		EXPORTS.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	Tons.	\$	Tons.	\$
1886.....	162,000	178,742	107,237	114,736
1887.....	154,008	157,277	148,533	166,514
1888.....	175,887	179,393	124,515	133,238
1889.....	213,273	205,108	176,875	189,491
1890.....	226,509	194,033	175,111	193,899
1891.....	203,605	206,251	172,496	184,977
1892.....	241,048	241,127	175,518	194,304
1893.....	192,568	196,150	176,489	178,979
1894.....	223,631	202,031	162,412	160,082
1895.....	226,178	202,608	160,898	156,897
1896.....	207,032	178,061	200,857	205,641
1897.....	239,691	244,531	180,540	183,376
1898.....	219,256	232,515	180,350	193,515
1899.....	*244,566	*257,329	163,719	166,222

*Subject to revision.

1897 {	Nova Scotia.....	155,572	121,754
	New Brunswick.....	82,658	118,116
	Ontario.....	1,461	4,661
Total.....		239,691	244,531