

## FISHERIES REVENUE, JUNE 30, 1899, 1900 and 1901.

	1899.	1900.	1901.
	\$	\$	\$
Ontario—Rents, license fees, fines, &c. . . . .	5,831	794	717
Quebec " " . . . . .	6,287	2,543	4,739
Nova Scotia " " . . . . .	4,668	5,495	6,596
New Brunswick " " . . . . .	10,430	12,015	10,150
Prince Edward Island—Rents, license fees, fines, &c.	2,242	2,207	1,525
Manitoba " " . . . . .	1,538	2,028	1,103
North-west Territories " " . . . . .	150	1,523	818
British Columbia " " . . . . .	45,802	53,195	52,960
Yukon Territory " " . . . . .			406
	76,949	79,800	79,014
Less Refunds . . . . .	509	11	47
	76,440	79,739	78,967
Licenses to United States fishing vessels . . . . .	9,063	8,618	9,178
Total . . . . .	85,503	88,407	88,145

The following table shows the number of men employed in the fishery industry in Canada, in vessels and in boats in the years named:—

Year.	No. of Persons in Lobster Canneries.	Men in Vessels.	Men in Boats.	Total, Fishermen.
1879 . . . . .		8,818	52,577	61,395
1880 . . . . .		8,757	51,900	60,657
1881 . . . . .		8,359	50,697	59,056
1882 . . . . .		8,498	52,785	61,283
1883 . . . . .		9,996	52,259	62,225
1884 . . . . .		9,968	51,854	61,822
1885 . . . . .		9,539	53,282	62,821
1886 . . . . .		8,927	53,073	62,000
1887 . . . . .		8,911	55,247	64,158
1888 . . . . .		9,574	53,109	62,683
1889 . . . . .		9,621	55,382	65,003
1890 . . . . .		8,726	55,000	63,726
1891 . . . . .		8,666	56,909	65,575
1892 . . . . .		8,330	55,348	63,678
1893 . . . . .		8,899	58,854	67,753
1894 . . . . .		9,525	61,194	70,719
1895 . . . . .	13,030	9,804	61,530	71,334
1896 . . . . .	14,175	9,735	65,502	75,237
1897 . . . . .	15,165	8,879	70,080	78,959
1898 . . . . .	16,548	8,657	72,877	81,534
1899 . . . . .	18,708	8,970	70,893	79,863
1900 . . . . .	18,205	9,205	71,859	81,064

The salmon canning industry of British Columbia in 1900 gave employment to 19,787 persons.

The following table gives for a series of years the value of vessels, boats, nets, weirs, lobster traps, smoke and fish-houses, piers and wharfs, sailing