

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF THE TRAFFIC THROUGH THE CANADIAN CANALS, 1886 TO 1901.

Year.	CANADIAN VESSELS.			Tonnage.	UNITED STATES VESSELS.			Tonnage.
	Steam.	Sail.	Total.		Steam.	Sail.	Total.	
1886	6,590	13,254	19,844	2,945,613	914	3,233	4,147	667,953
1887	6,750	22,241	18,991	2,847,952	782	3,101	3,883	566,680
1888	6,405	11,256	17,661	2,640,322	774	3,147	3,921	631,777
1889	7,230	12,163	19,393	2,995,582	1,109	3,433	4,542	830,648
1890	9,220	11,435	20,655	3,139,472	1,019	2,354	3,364	721,397
1891	8,711	10,535	19,246	3,135,454	1,209	2,393	3,602	838,116
1892	9,236	11,941	21,177	3,401,965	1,169	2,759	3,928	871,795
1893	9,322	11,535	20,857	3,434,054	1,432	3,153	4,585	1,286,295
1894	8,715	10,312	19,027	3,048,904	1,179	2,952	4,131	1,012,027
1895	9,249	8,496	17,745	3,109,593	1,486	3,524	5,010	1,509,771
1896	12,197	10,845	23,042	4,039,113	3,694	4,022	7,716	5,033,869
1897	11,917	11,458	23,375	4,046,283	3,095	3,929	7,024	4,702,339
1898	11,561	11,759	23,320	4,201,916	2,874	3,254	6,128	3,624,463
1899	12,041	11,538	23,579	4,308,571	2,257	3,844	6,101	3,285,733
1900	11,615	10,140	21,755	4,129,250	2,096	3,406	5,502	2,408,985
1901	11,144	9,716	20,860	3,980,264	2,441	3,193	5,634	2,482,274

Year.	Total Number of Vessels.	Total Tonnage.	Passengers.	Freight.	Tolls.	Increase or Decrease.
			No.	Tons.	\$	\$
1886	23,991	3,613,566	78,762	2,969,093	347,962	+47,541
1887	22,874	3,414,632	82,914	2,820,516	303,035	-44,927
1888	21,582	3,272,099	75,797	2,761,597	317,854	+14,819
1889	23,935	3,826,230	81,362	3,166,368	380,616	+62,762
1890	24,019	3,860,869	127,135	2,913,047	330,510	-50,106
1891	22,848	3,973,570	146,336	2,902,526	346,686	+16,176
1892	25,105	4,273,760	152,439	3,031,736	373,848	+27,162
1893	25,342	4,720,349	134,189	3,546,989	329,014	-44,834
1894	23,158	4,060,931	142,124	2,942,715	288,129	-40,885
1895	22,755	4,619,364	154,588	3,336,068	265,413	-22,716
1896	30,758	9,072,982	166,000	7,991,073	326,766	+61,313
1897	30,398	8,748,622	157,682	8,560,969	327,218	+ 452
1898	29,448	7,826,379	177,982	6,618,475	325,149	- 2,069
1899	29,680	7,594,304	213,711	6,225,924	276,658	-48,491
1900	27,257	6,538,235	217,036	5,013,693	258,833	-17,825
1901	26,494	6,462,538	190,428	5,665,259	244,055	-14,778