

MINERAL PRODUCTION OF CANADA—*Concluded.*

Products.	1901.		*1902.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		\$		\$
Nickel..... Lbs.	9,189,047	4,594,523	10,693,410	5,025,903
Ochres..... Tons.	2,233	16,735	4,955	30,495
Peat..... "	220	660	475	1,663
Petroleum (brls. of 35 imp. gall.) Brls.	622,392	1,008,275	521,485	934,740
Phosphate..... Tons.	1,033	6,280	856	4,953
Pig iron..... "	83,100	1,212,113	71,665	1,043,011
Platinum..... \$		457		
Potters' ware..... \$		200,000		200,000
Pyrites..... Tons.	35,261	130,544	35,616	138,939
Salt..... "	59,428	262,328	63,056	288,581
Sand and gravel (exports)..... "	197,302	117,465	159,793	119,120
Sewer pipes..... \$		248,115		294,465
Silver (fine in ore, &c.)..... oz.	5,539,192	3,265,354	4,373,000	2,280,957
Slate..... Tons.	705	9,980		19,200
Terra-cotta..... \$		278,671		348,597
†Tiles..... 1,000		250,000		
Tripolite..... Tons.			900	15,800
Zinc..... Lbs.			166,700	8,068
Talc..... Tons.	259	842	689	1,804
Estimated value of mineral production not returned..... \$		300,000		300,000
Total..... \$		66,712,708		64,970,732

* Subject to revision. † Partly estimated. || Not specified; included in total. ‡ Including pressed brick, &c.

The values of the principal articles of mineral production exported by Canada in the last six years, according to the Trade and Navigation Returns, were:—

Articles.	EXPORTS, DOMESTIC.					
	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Asbestos.....	510,916	510,368	453,176	490,909	864,573	1,131,202
Coal.....	3,330,017	3,273,415	3,562,794	4,599,602	5,307,060	4,867,038
Coke.....	3,802	7,341	15,684	33,770	192,910	184,499
Copper.....	550,462	864,778	922,979	1,387,388	2,659,261	2,990,362
Gold-bearing quartz, dust, nuggets, &c.....	2,804,101	3,587,953	3,272,702	14,148,543	24,445,156	19,668,015
Gypsum.....	183,376	193,515	166,222	236,065	185,208	273,335
Iron ore.....	26,979	24,392	21,415	24,034	167,266	1,303,901
Iron and steel.....	522,988	606,082	706,411	1,425,163	1,432,961	2,460,781
Lead, metallic, contained in ore, &c.....	522,327	1,008,147	895,349	688,691	2,517,084	889,318
Lime.....	56,720	48,307	64,112	77,325	83,439	111,910
Mica.....	61,998	69,513	148,239	136,352	149,588	242,310
Nickel.....	498,515	970,531	994,537	1,040,498	958,365	834,513
Phosphates.....	275	1,090	9,290	2,285	120	1,880
Silver.....	2,613,171	3,519,786	2,630,281	1,354,053	2,420,750	2,055,428
Stone and marble.....	47,773	61,030	62,047	130,207	143,827	160,907
Other articles.....	239,256	521,900	298,414	454,601	783,232	955,508
Total.....	11,972,676	15,268,148	14,223,652	26,229,486	42,310,800	38,130,957