

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF THE TRAFFIC THROUGH THE CANADIAN CANALS, 1887 TO 1903.

Year.	CANADIAN VESSELS.			Tonnage.	AMERICAN VESSELS.			Tonnage.
	Steam.	Sail.	Total.		Steam.	Sail.	Total.	
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	731,397
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	3,049,904	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	11,588	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
1902	12,698	9,500	22,198	4,485,695	2,941	3,492	6,433	4,086,439
1903	13,338	10,429	23,767	5,212,832	2,998	3,697	6,695	4,236,475

Year.	Total Number of Vessels.	Total Tonnage.	Passengers.		Freight.	Tolls.	Increase or Decrease.
			Number.	Tons.			
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	3,860,369	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	6,588,235	217,036	5,013,693	238,833	-17,825	
1901	26,494	6,462,538	190,428	5,665,259	244,055	-14,778	
1902	28,631	8,572,134	188,086	7,513,197	220,503	-23,552	
1903	30,462	9,448,307	236,323	9,213,817	325,166	+104,663	