

## CANALS.

TABLE CCXXX. Total freight passed through Canadian canals 1887-1908.

| Year.     | Canadian to<br>Canadian ports |           | Canadian to<br>United States ports |           | Totals.   |           |
|-----------|-------------------------------|-----------|------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|           | westward.                     | eastward. | westward.                          | eastward. | westward. | eastward. |
|           | ton.                          | ton.      | ton.                               | ton.      | ton.      | ton.      |
| 1887..... | 336,648                       | 1,154,424 | 138,692                            | 202,563   | 475,340   | 1,356,987 |
| 1888..... | 355,165                       | 1,146,260 | 138,127                            | 174,239   | 493,292   | 1,320,899 |
| 1889..... | 334,777                       | 1,156,306 | 122,295                            | 198,497   | 507,072   | 1,354,803 |
| 1890..... | 369,593                       | 1,137,011 | 144,368                            | 133,188   | 513,961   | 1,270,199 |
| 1891..... | 370,120                       | 1,155,247 | 103,814                            | 123,193   | 473,934   | 1,278,440 |
| 1892..... | 327,560                       | 1,322,137 | 173,538                            | 135,787   | 501,098   | 1,457,924 |
| 1893..... | 351,706                       | 1,344,822 | 214,076                            | 141,602   | 565,782   | 1,486,424 |
| 1894..... | 299,155                       | 1,140,606 | 204,075                            | 89,614    | 503,230   | 1,230,220 |
| 1895..... | 264,824                       | 1,070,046 | 286,191                            | 91,177    | 551,015   | 1,161,223 |
| 1896..... | 293,353                       | 1,619,668 | 259,659                            | 100,519   | 553,012   | 1,720,187 |
| 1897..... | 275,587                       | 1,713,274 | 268,700                            | 187,960   | 544,287   | 1,901,234 |
| 1898..... | 263,989                       | 1,819,887 | 187,253                            | 98,967    | 451,242   | 1,918,854 |
| 1899..... | 296,208                       | 1,833,412 | 266,364                            | 115,133   | 562,572   | 1,948,545 |
| 1900..... | 312,201                       | 1,632,915 | 270,033                            | 81,714    | 582,234   | 1,714,629 |
| 1901..... | 340,805                       | 1,686,094 | 268,449                            | 201,231   | 609,254   | 1,887,325 |
| 1902..... | 529,085                       | 2,064,480 | 308,212                            | 342,484   | 837,297   | 2,406,964 |
| 1903..... | 648,150                       | 2,391,366 | 430,174                            | 408,500   | 1,078,324 | 2,799,866 |
| 1904..... | 606,737                       | 2,047,499 | 511,887                            | 276,578   | 1,118,624 | 2,324,077 |
| 1905..... | 736,976                       | 2,252,514 | 549,365                            | 347,089   | 1,286,341 | 2,599,603 |
| 1906..... | 1,238,929                     | 2,355,855 | 627,094                            | 234,919   | 1,866,023 | 2,590,774 |
| 1907..... | 1,034,733                     | 3,162,158 | 891,692                            | 226,138   | 1,926,425 | 3,388,296 |
| 1908..... | 1,028,246                     | 3,292,422 | 560,736                            | 278,721   | 1,588,982 | 3,571,143 |

  

| Year.     | United States to<br>United States ports |            | United States to<br>Canadian ports |           | Totals.   |            |
|-----------|---|------------|------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|------------|
|           | westward.                               | eastward.  | westward.                          | eastward. | westward. | eastward.  |
|           | ton.                                    | ton.       | ton.                               | ton.      | ton.      | ton.       |
| 1887..... | 151,805                                 | 192,528    | 86,374                             | 457,482   | 238,179   | 650,010    |
| 1888..... | 214,407                                 | 223,429    | 81,611                             | 428,357   | 296,018   | 651,786    |
| 1889..... | 267,224                                 | 300,193    | 81,243                             | 603,311   | 348,467   | 903,504    |
| 1890..... | 216,813                                 | 320,324    | 58,709                             | 533,021   | 275,522   | 853,345    |
| 1891..... | 248,188                                 | 307,958    | 50,747                             | 543,259   | 298,935   | 851,217    |
| 1892..... | 241,034                                 | 302,983    | 47,396                             | 481,301   | 288,430   | 784,284    |
| 1893..... | 247,329                                 | 385,769    | 54,912                             | 806,773   | 302,241   | 1,192,542  |
| 1894..... | 231,172                                 | 363,107    | 46,020                             | 568,866   | 277,192   | 931,973    |
| 1895..... | 362,637                                 | 608,778    | 62,235                             | 590,140   | 424,922   | 1,198,918  |
| 1896..... | 1,197,245                               | 3,536,054  | 117,535                            | 867,040   | 1,314,780 | 4,403,094  |
| 1897..... | 669,142                                 | 4,369,314  | 108,787                            | 968,203   | 777,929   | 5,337,517  |
| 1898..... | 829,508                                 | 2,425,121  | 81,615                             | 912,135   | 911,123   | 3,337,256  |
| 1899..... | 732,030                                 | 2,129,988  | 125,678                            | 727,111   | 857,708   | 2,857,099  |
| 1900..... | 568,197                                 | 1,339,915  | 105,155                            | 703,563   | 673,352   | 2,043,478  |
| 1901..... | 507,204                                 | 1,801,696  | 177,715                            | 682,065   | 684,919   | 2,483,761  |
| 1902..... | 515,828                                 | 3,000,636  | 190,243                            | 562,229   | 706,071   | 3,562,865  |
| 1903..... | 863,337                                 | 3,130,816  | 373,456                            | 958,018   | 1,236,793 | 4,088,834  |
| 1904..... | 699,784                                 | 2,778,903  | 483,795                            | 851,053   | 1,183,579 | 3,629,956  |
| 1905..... | 607,228                                 | 3,183,895  | 557,528                            | 1,137,146 | 1,184,756 | 4,321,041  |
| 1906..... | 991,508                                 | 3,595,256  | 482,239                            | 997,385   | 1,473,747 | 4,592,641  |
| 1907..... | 1,991,959                               | 11,060,878 | 819,369                            | 1,356,712 | 2,811,328 | 12,417,590 |
| 1908..... | 1,704,310                               | 8,218,866  | 972,300                            | 1,447,219 | 2,676,610 | 9,666,985  |