TABLE CCXXXIII. Tonnage of principal articles carried through Canadian canals in the six years 1903-1908.

Articles.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.	1907.	1908.
Brick	11,086	9,097	23,814	17,713	20,953	15,769
Cement	28,600	25,539	31,942	45,619	78,347	49,577
Iron, all kinds	135,160	123,121	145,260	218,801	226,674	185,259
Steel	8,514	4,300	5,660	4,632	22,740	82,902
Stone for cutting	4,961	576	23,511	31,937	35,969	77,094
Apples	13,480	11,865	9,217	8,046	8,258	-
Barley	51,003	75,538	114,226	123,950	154,986	174,628
Corn	338,132	189,739	257,387	244,122	410,671	153,713
Flour	359,848	260,630	243,938	297,937	378,644	228,605
Hay, pressed	50,129	32,576	33,354	26,811	25,121	18,259
Meal, all kinds	29,989	24,174	14,814	27,472	49,612	28,100
Oats	66,621	72,723	101,258	209,286	343,984	225,659
Potatoes	6,804	5,351	7,420	5,853	6,535	6,858
Seeds	6,828	5,477	3,727	1,455	255,679[1]	234,738[1]
Vegetables	3,219	2,688	6,470	4,805	10,978	23,838
Cattle	1,236	1,766	1,468	932	552	628
Horses	1,544	1,605	1,346	1,685	784	701
Pork	1,485	1,337	1,213	834	1,185	2,273
Sheep	302	605	616	514	332	209
Marble	1,521	22	2,475	2,575	2,406	
Sugar	8,190	9,203	27,275	42,801	62,634	-
Whiskey	5,000	5,396	6,680	9,970	10,682	10,193
Firewood	320,765	440,254	423,693	468,133	59,999	74,117
Lumber, sawn	583,522	476,436	591,028	645,257	533,294	417,229
Railway ties	4,603	3,788	7,470	5,608	3,371	2,598
Square timber	32,286	43,557	13,215	18,585	37,124	53,072
Saw logs	20,540	26,630	58,949	90,929	35,628	18,056
Coal	1,590,595	1,570,113	1,596,935	1,804,974	3,546,683	3,528,109
Iron ore	2,703,827	2,482,181	2,959,300	2,970,637	10,105,016	7,402,672
Timber and other woods	68,487	64,808	68,629	70,015	818,510	422,269
Wheat	1,433,288	1,202,716	1,248,567	1,406,741	2,473,202	3,199,031

NOTE. The Canadian canals were made free from April 27 1903.
[1] Includes Flaxseed.