

PATENTS OF INVENTION.

TABLE CCLI. Transactions of the five years 1904-1908.

Schedule.	1904. ¹	1905. ¹	1906. ²	1907. ³	1908. ³
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
Applications for patents	6,061	6,355	2,857	7,077	7,406
Patents granted	6,091	6,111	2,378	6,121	6,774
Certificates granted	517	536	271	634	744
Caveats	303	300	137	285	317
Assignments of patents.	2,472	2,576	1,232	3,003	2,900

TABLE CCLII. Patent Office fees of the five years 1904-1908.

Schedule.	1904. ¹	1905. ¹	1906. ²	1907. ³	1908. ³
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Patents	134,677	140,588	64,116	157,355	166,930
Assignments	5,831	5,843	2,750	6,376	6,330
Caveats	1,660	1,650	696	1,150	1,675
Copies	1,201	1,567	1,030	2,010	1,888
Subscription to 'Patent Record' . . .	392	669	221	464	517
Notices to apply for patent	1,827	1,491	794	1,576	1,815
Sundries	308	277	93	218	227
Total fees	145,896	152,085	69,700	169,549	178,482

TABLE CCLIII. Number of patentees by countries of residence 1904-1908.

Countries.	1904. ¹	1905. ¹	1906. ²	1907. ³	1908. ³
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
Canada	837	888	332	920	815
Great Britain	310	309	155	330	313
United States	4,417	4,451	1,117	4,281	5,030
France	65	62	20	78	91
Germany	185	171	52	201	214
Other countries	277	230	112	311	311

¹ The year began November 1 and ended October 31. ² Five months ended March 31. For year ended March 31.