

PRODUCTION.

Revised Statutes of 1906, c. 46, the distribution of the appropriation of \$160,000 for the year 1912-13 was made on the following basis: \$1 per registered ton to owners of vessels, \$6.90 to each vessel fisherman, \$3.95 to each boat fisherman and \$1 per boat to owners of fishing boats. The number of vessels which received bounties in 1912-13 was 965, with an aggregate tonnage of 24,900, the same number but an increase of 1,100 tons as compared with 1911-12. The number of boats on which bounties were paid was 11,998 and the number of boat fishermen who received bounties was 20,411, an increase of 318 boats and of 704 men as compared with 1911-12. The total number of fishermen in vessels and boats to whom bounties were paid in 1912-13 was 26,558, an increase of 739 over the previous year. The number of claims filed in 1912-13 was 12,972, an increase of 93 over 1911-12, and the number paid was 12,964, or 319 more than in the previous year. The total fishing bounties paid since 1882 amount to \$4,900,200.

Table 30 shows by provinces the number of fishermen who received bounties and the amount of the bounties paid to them during each of the fiscal years 1909 to 1913.

29.—Number and Value of Fishing Vessels, Boats, Nets, Traps, etc., used in the Sea and Inland Fisheries of Canada, 1912-13.

Description.	Sea Fisheries.		Inland Fisheries.		Total.	
	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$
Vessels.....	1,083	3,485,563	8	75,000	1,091	3,560,563
Boats (gasoline).....	5,857	1,834,885	54	14,375	5,911	1,849,260
Boats (sail).....	24,900	993,448	3,690	229,407	28,590	1,222,855
Tugs and smacks.....	381	661,685	197	499,675	578	1,111,360
Gill-nets.....	136,895	1,568,546	110,492	798,577	247,387	2,367,123
Trap and smelt nets...	5,241	358,354	-	-	5,241	358,354
Seines and other nets...	2,875	400,464	4,508	287,584	7,383	688,048
Weirs.....	727	399,380	24	16,750	751	416,130
Trawls.....	16,808	192,492	-	-	16,808	192,492
Hand lines.....	55,336	42,417	8,520	18,793	63,856	61,210
Eel Traps.....	-	-	60	100	60	100
Lobster canneries.....	718	643,525	-	-	718	643,525
Lobster traps.....	1,590,966	1,406,195	-	-	1,590,966	1,406,195
Salmon canneries.....	60	2,517,000	-	-	60	2,517,000
Salmon traps.....	7	71,000	-	-	7	71,000
Sardine and clam canneries.....	22	399,850	-	-	22	399,850
Freezers and ice-houses	598	222,847	697	1,891,685	1,295	2,114,532
Smoke and fish-houses.	7,076	1,476,864	211	36,118	7,287	1,512,982
Piers and wharves.....	2,377	3,154,289	114	66,108	2,491	3,220,397
Fishing huts and cottages.....	-	-	53	61,150	53	61,150
Whaling stations.....	5	550,000	-	-	5	550,000
Oil factories.....	1	35,000	-	-	1	35,000
Scows and pile drivers.	502	18,350	-	-	502	18,350
Skates of gear.....	528	10,560	-	-	528	10,560
Spears.....	-	-	226	423	226	423
Total.....	-	20,442,714	-	3,945,745	-	24,388,459
Total 1911-12.....	-	19,154,716	-	1,778,188	-	20,932,904