

CANALS

32.—Canal Traffic during the Navigation Season 1916—concluded.

Canals.	From United States to Canadian Ports.		Total Freight.		Total.	Origin of Cargo.	
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.		Canadian.	United States.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Sault Ste. Marie...	704,378	141,656	1,430,543	15,383,106	16,813,649	4,155,911	12,657,738
Welland...	1,350	1,311,643	499,621	2,045,343	2,544,964	1,054,480	1,490,484
St. Lawrence...	5,405	1,787,743	698,522	2,669,542	3,368,064	1,581,195	1,786,869
Chambly...	-	141,796	246,677	152,300	398,977	257,181	141,796
St. Peter's...	-	-	5,471	4,158	9,629	9,629	-
Murray....	-	1,575	42,563	4,117	46,680	45,085	1,595
Ottawa....	10,572	-	22,368	215,283	237,651	226,381	11,270
Rideau...	-	6,777	58,488	46,942	105,430	98,653	6,777
Trent.....	-	-	17,767	27,242	45,009	45,009	-
St. Andrew's.	-	-	12,913	525	13,438	13,438	-
Total..	721,705	3,391,190	3,034,933	20,548,558	23,583,491	7,486,962	16,096,529

33.—Distribution of Total Canal Traffic by Months, 1912-1916.

Months.	1912.	1913.	1914.	1915.	1916.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
January...	181	397	494	-	-
April.	77,871	875,226	554,111	398,350	474,710
May	6,134,122	7,260,227	5,307,123	1,426,805	2,967,906
June	6,851,248	7,647,189	6,136,657	1,472,670	4,232,338
July	7,054,060	8,137,169	6,339,831	1,587,611	3,655,110
August....	7,159,871	7,625,782	6,261,380	1,829,021	3,643,436
September.	6,983,913	7,531,379	6,069,946	2,424,717	3,318,774
October... .	7,321,846	7,350,914	4,660,484	3,354,829	2,754,812
November	5,369,493	4,891,143	1,470,471	2,278,245	1,967,168
December.	634,640	734,487	222,740	426,555	569,237
Total.....	47,587,245	52,053,913	37,023,237	15,198,803	23,583,491

34.—Distribution of Canal Traffic in Canada, 1916.

Canal System.	Tons.	Increase (+) or decrease (-)	Canal System.	Tons.	Increase (+) or decrease (-)
Sault Ste. Marie.	16,813,649	+9,062,692	Murray..	46,680	+15,952
Welland.	2,544,964	-516,048	Ottawa.	237,651	-34,719
St. Lawrence. . . .	3,368,064	-41,403	Rideau.	105,430	-15,351
Chambly.	398,977	-79,730	Trent.....	45,009	-4,895
St. Peter's.....	9,629	+6,734	St. Andrews....	13,438	-8,544