

statistics were collected, except those of the census of manufactures, which are limited to canning establishments. For 1900 and 1911 the census fishery statistics include quantities and values. The differences between the methods of collection and expression for the census years are so considerable that any satisfactory comparisons for the purpose of illustrating progress since Confederation is practically impossible. Perhaps the simplest and most effective method of comparison is to use the annual values as published in the Reports of the Fisheries Branch of the Naval Service from 1870. (See Table 57 in Section VIII (Production), page 259). Progress of the fishing industry during the present century may be more readily compared by the census figures, and Table 32, constructed from data in the report on the Census of 1911, shows for the two years 1900 and 1910 the values of the fisheries by provinces, distributed as between sea fisheries and lake fisheries and as between fresh fish and canned and cured fish.

32.—Value of Sea and Lake Fisheries of Canada, 1900 and 1910.

| Province.                     | Sea Fisheries.    | Lake Fisheries.  | Total Value.      | Fresh Fish.       | Canned and Cured Fish. | Total Value.      |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------|
|                               | \$                | \$               | \$                | \$                | \$                     | \$                |
| Prince Edward Island. 1900    | 1,017,496         | —                | 1,017,496         | 212,671           | 804,825                | 1,017,496         |
| 1910                          | 1,094,838         | 58,780           | 1,153,708         | 318,975           | 834,733                | 1,153,708         |
| Nova Scotia..... 1900         | 7,262,671         | —                | 7,262,671         | 1,964,533         | 5,298,138              | 7,262,671         |
| 1910                          | 10,119,227        | 16               | 10,119,243        | 2,870,039         | 7,249,204              | 10,119,243        |
| New Brunswick..... 1900       | 2,942,658         | 20,053           | 2,962,711         | 1,360,362         | 1,602,349              | 2,962,711         |
| 1910                          | 4,097,784         | 36,360           | 4,134,144         | 2,060,119         | 2,074,025              | 4,134,144         |
| Quebec..... 1900              | 2,189,861         | 172,815          | 2,362,676         | 841,274           | 1,521,402              | 2,362,676         |
| 1910                          | 1,593,038         | 99,437           | 1,692,475         | 366,653           | 1,325,822              | 1,692,475         |
| Ontario..... 1900             | —                 | 1,122,010        | 1,122,010         | 1,078,678         | 43,332                 | 1,122,010         |
| 1910                          | —                 | 2,026,121        | 2,026,121         | 2,015,497         | 10,624                 | 2,026,121         |
| Manitoba..... 1900            | —                 | 342,990          | 342,990           | 314,126           | 28,864                 | 342,990           |
| 1910                          | —                 | 1,302,779        | 1,302,779         | 1,302,779         | —                      | 1,302,779         |
| Saskatchewan..... 1900        | —                 | —                | —                 | —                 | —                      | —                 |
| 1910                          | —                 | 172,903          | 172,903           | 172,903           | —                      | 172,903           |
| Alberta..... 1900             | —                 | —                | —                 | —                 | —                      | —                 |
| 1910                          | —                 | 82,460           | 82,460            | 82,460            | —                      | 82,460            |
| British Columbia..... 1900    | 4,478,766         | 67,611           | 4,546,377         | 697,453           | 3,848,924              | 4,546,377         |
| 1910                          | 9,158,823         | 4,412            | 9,163,235         | 2,311,728         | 6,851,507              | 9,163,235         |
| The Territories..... 1900     | —                 | 151,518          | 151,518           | 151,518           | —                      | 151,518           |
| Yukon <sup>1</sup> ..... 1910 | —                 | 118,365          | 118,365           | 118,365           | —                      | 118,365           |
| <b>Total..... 1900</b>        | <b>17,891,452</b> | <b>1,876,997</b> | <b>19,768,449</b> | <b>6,620,615</b>  | <b>13,147,834</b>      | <b>19,768,449</b> |
| <b>1910</b>                   | <b>26,063,710</b> | <b>3,901,723</b> | <b>29,965,433</b> | <b>11,619,500</b> | <b>18,345,933</b>      | <b>29,965,433</b> |

<sup>1</sup>Included in the Territories in 1900.