

11.—Number of Persons employed in the Fisheries of Canada, 1925 and 1926.

Employed in	Sea Fisheries.		Inland Fisheries.	
	1925.	1926.	1925	1926.
	No.	No.	No.	No.
Steam trawlers.....	222	249	—	—
Vessels.....	6,512	7,660	736	729
Boats.....	38,379	40,122	8,055	8,193
Carrying smacks.....	1,093	757	4	6
Fishing, not in boats.....	—	—	3,168	3,675
Total.....	46,206	48,765	11,963	12,643

Employed in	Fish-Canning and Curing Establishments.					
	1925.			1926.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Lobster canneries.....	2,953	3,634	6,587	2,887	3,614	6,501
Salmon canneries.....	3,644	2,410	6,054	4,439	2,355	6,794
Clam canneries.....	56	110	166	82	201	283
Sardine and other fish canneries.....	255	226	481	340	142	482
Fish-curing establishments.....	2,338	295	2,633	2,511	321	2,832
Reduction plants.....	345	6	351	503	13	516
Total.....	9,591	6,681	16,272	16,762	6,646	17,408
Grand Total in all Fisheries.....	67,766	6,681	74,441	73,133	6,646	79,779

12.—Employees and Salaries and Wages in Fish-Canning and Curing Establishments, 1920-1926.

Years.	On Salaries.		On Wages.		Contract and Piece-Workers.		Total.	
	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$
1920.....	651	759,176	13,137	3,180,701	4,711	916,413	18,499	4,856,280
1921.....	487	551,330	10,534	2,023,040	3,083	399,016	14,104	2,973,386
1922.....	614	682,535	11,848	2,358,780	4,115	600,415	16,577	3,641,730
1923.....	585	831,101	11,265	2,443,971	3,597	644,842	15,447	3,769,914
1924.....	574	755,631	10,583	2,588,717	4,379	890,413	15,536	4,234,761
1925.....	632	806,418	10,687	3,166,045	4,953	998,704	18,272	4,971,167
1926.....	546	733,760	11,579	3,807,533	5,283	1,081,544	17,408	5,622,837

Trade.—For reasons already noted, the domestic consumption of fish is relatively small in Canada, and the trade depends largely upon foreign markets. Perhaps 60 p.c. of the annual capture is an average export, of which the United States takes from two-fifths to one-half and Great Britain one-sixth to one-fifth. In the fiscal year ended 1927, domestic exports amounted to \$36,365,454. In the same