ONE HUNDRED LEADING COMMODITIES IMPORTED INTO CANADA, BY VALUES, 1927.

Commodity.	Value.	Commodity.	Value.
	\$		\$
Coal	62,118,635	Goods returned within 5 years	4,234,6
Machinery	41.081.674	Woollen yarns	4,118,1
rude petroleum	36,489,936	Leather manufactures	4,101.89
Raw sugar	34,947,666	Scientific and educational equipment	4,076,4
Automobile parts	30.386.461	Binder twine	4,076,3
pirits and wines	28,978,932	Raw silk	4,065,5
Automobiles	27,083,081	Tweeds	4,029,9
Plates and sheets (iron)	24,085,439	Hardware and outlery	3,874,7
Raw rubber	22,313,346	Tubes and pipe (iron)	3,841,9
Silk fabrics and velvets	21,341,781	Silk clothing Dyeing and tanning materials	3,837,0
Green fruits	21,288,234	Dyeing and tanning materials	3,738,9
Raw cottoni	20, 170, 728	Alumina	3,634,9
Farm implements	18,946,288	Fertilizers	8,492,4
Electric apparatus	16,932,193	Seeds	3,492,1
Engines and boilers	14,922,187	Containers (outside coverings)	3,465,6
Worsteds and serges	14,140,784	Cocoa and chocolate	3,420,9
Books and printed matter	13,741,022	Grey and white cottons	3,329,8
Raw furs	13,235,100	Tin in blocks	3,258,5
Gasolene	12,473,364	Post office parcels	3,184,5
Tea	12,236,714	Hats and caps	3,169,0
Vegetable oils	11,648,382	Soda and soda compounds	8,163,1
Coloured or printed cottons	11,533,079	Wire	3,160,8
Paper	11,359,582	Clocks and watches	3,141,2
Corn	10,910,611	Medicinal preparations	3,108,1
Planks and boards	10,028,882	Sulphur	3,004,5
Wood manufactures	9,757,585	Iron ore	2,835,1
Raw bides	9,057,183	Diamonds, unset	2,799,5
Glass and glassware	8,638,579	Fish	2,626,2
Clay and its products	8,590,058	Cotton yarns	2,576,5
Bars and rods (iron)	8,809,723	Musical instruments	2,535,9
Settlers' effects	7,797,518	Canned fruits	2,484.(
Structural iron and ateel	7,671,300	Cotton clothing	2,465,6 2,423,1
Copper and its producta	7,071,558		2,420,1
lute cloth or canvas	6,890,604	Animals, living	2,298.0
Raw tobacco	6,473,167	Molasses	2,285,1
Woollen clothing	6,427,140 6,071,694	Carpets (wool)	2,181,
Dried fruits			2,115,
tone and its products	5,965,893	Rice	2.046.
Green coffee	5,676,759	Silk yarn, artificial	1.940.
Raw wool	5,655,760 5,537,604		1.680.0
Coke	5.216.868	Refined sugar	1.634.0
Band or boop iron	5.134.475	Film, moving picture	1.594.
Rubber manufactures	5,060,364	Jewelry	1.475.
Sisal and manila grass	5,080,364	Hemp	1.458.
Brass and its products	4,995,981	Canned vegetables	1.219.
Fresh vegetables	4,779,570	Soap	1.204.
Castings and forgings (iron)	4,778,370	Doap	
Noils, tops and waste wool	4,656,047	Total value of above commodities.	851.516.
Paints and varnishes	4,607,411	Total value of imports	1.080,892,
Meats	4,561,648	Total targe of importations.	.,000,000,
Muts (except cocoabuts)	4,357,239	Percentage represented by above	
Shipe' stores	4,238,499	commodities	80
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Canada's Principal Exports.—By reference to the following table showing "Seventy Leading Canadian Commodities Exported from Canada, 1927", it will be noted that they represent 94.8 p.c. of Canada's total domestic exports. Of these 70 leading commodities, 35 show decreases and a similar number increases, but the decreases exceeded the increases in value by \$60,577,561. Thirty of these leading commodities for which there are quantity statistics show increases and twenty-four show decreases. The principal commodities to show increases were, in order of importance:—printing paper, rubber tires, farm implements, raw furs, coal, whiskey, barley, zinc, pulpwood, raw tobacco, rubber footwear. These increases ranged from \$14,292,000 in the case of printing paper to \$1,511,000 in rubber footwear.

The most notable decrease occurred in raw gold, which was not due to decreased output but to other causes, and other large decreases were in oats and wheat.