

Trade with Other Foreign Countries.—The relative changes in the positions occupied by the United States and other foreign countries in Canada's trade in various years from 1886 to 1929 are shown in the following table. Imports from the United States have increased from 44.6 p.c. to 68.6 p.c. of total imports, while imports from other foreign countries have remained fairly constant. In the case of Canadian exports, on the other hand, those to the United States have declined from 44.1 to 36.7 p.c. of the total, while those to other foreign countries have increased from 4.5 p.c. to 24 p.c. of total Canadian exports.

TRADE OF CANADA WITH THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER FOREIGN COUNTRIES.
(Fiscal Years 1886, 1896, 1906, 1914, 1922 and 1929.)

Fiscal Years.	Canadian Trade with—			Percentage of Total Trade with—		
	United States.	Other Foreign Countries.	Total Foreign Countries.	United States.	Other Foreign Countries.	Total Foreign Countries.
	\$	\$	\$	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.
<i>Imports.</i>						
1886.....	42,818,651	11,756,920	54,575,571	44.6	12.2	56.8
1896.....	53,529,390	16,618,619	70,148,009	50.8	15.8	66.6
1906.....	169,256,452	30,694,394	199,950,846	59.6	10.9	70.5
1914.....	396,302,138	68,365,014	464,667,152	64.0	11.0	75.0
1922.....	515,958,196	82,736,883	598,695,079	69.0	11.0	80.0
1929.....	868,012,229	140,247,523	1,008,259,752	68.6	11.1	79.7
<i>Exports (Canadian).</i>						
1886.....	34,284,490	3,515,148	37,799,638	44.1	4.5	48.6
1896.....	37,789,481	5,152,185	42,941,666	34.4	4.7	39.1
1906.....	83,546,306	13,516,428	97,062,734	35.5	5.8	41.3
1914.....	163,372,825	29,573,097	192,945,922	37.9	6.8	44.7
1922.....	292,588,643	101,816,627	394,405,270	39.5	13.8	53.3
1929.....	499,612,145	327,970,510	827,582,655	36.7	24.0	60.7

With further reference to the trade of Canada with countries other than the United Kingdom and the United States, attention is directed to Tables 22 to 35, giving the trade of Canada in leading commodities with 42 British and foreign countries for the fiscal years 1928 and 1929.

Subsection 5.—Geographical Distribution of Canadian Trade by Continents and Countries.

Geographical Distribution of Canadian Trade by Continents.—During the fiscal year 1929 Canada sold more products to Europe than to any other continent, her sales amounting to \$642,800,000, compared with \$542,500,000 to the continent of North America; while her purchases from Europe amounted to only \$286,700,000 compared with \$894,200,000 from the North American continent. During 1929 the continents of Europe and North America took 86.9 p.c. of the Dominion's total exports, as compared with 89.1 p.c. in 1928, and 90.7 p.c. in 1925. From 1925 to 1929 the proportion of Canada's exports to the United Kingdom decreased from 37.0 to 31.5 p.c.; the proportion to other European countries in the same period increased from 10.9 to 15.6 p.c.; whereas the proportion exported to the United States from 1925 to 1929 decreased from 39.1 to 36.7 p.c., and to other North American countries from 3.7 to 3.1 p.c. Europe and North America, in 1929, furnished Canada with 93.3 p.c. of her total imports, compared with 92.2 p.c. in 1928 and 93.3 p.c. in 1925. Between 1925 and 1929 imports from South America increased from \$20,100,000 to \$26,500,000, from Asia from \$27,500,000 to