

57.—Number and Tonnage of Sea-going and of All Vessels Entered and Cleared at the Principal Ports of Canada, fiscal year ended Mar. 31, 1931—concluded.

Province and Port.	Sea-going Vessels.				Total Shipping.			
	Arrived.		Departed.		Arrived.		Departed.	
	Ves- sels.	Tons Register.	Ves- sels.	Tons Register.	Ves- sels.	Tons Register.	Ves- sels.	Tons Register.
Ontario—concluded.								
Niagara Falls.....	-	-	-	-	1,778	1,701,622	1,787	1,685,513
Owen Sound.....	-	-	-	-	363	305,822	362	309,995
Port Arthur.....	-	-	-	-	1,246	3,159,367	1,357	3,427,239
Port Colborne.....	-	-	-	-	1,239	2,145,389	1,277	2,160,447
Port Dalhousie.....	-	-	-	-	506	315,741	520	323,709
Port Dover.....	-	-	-	-	273	196,745	203	195,905
Port McNicoll.....	-	-	-	-	161	394,005	161	461,209
Port Stanley.....	-	-	-	-	188	247,762	190	248,894
Prescott.....	-	-	-	-	1,112	795,950	1,068	753,267
Sandwich.....	-	-	-	-	558	304,065	537	295,826
Sarnia.....	-	-	-	-	19,407	3,855,670	19,413	3,847,203
Sault Ste. Marie.....	-	-	-	-	1,990	2,019,112	1,961	1,960,947
Thorold.....	-	-	-	-	191	236,758	188	233,477
Toronto.....	-	-	-	-	2,565	2,493,338	2,537	2,421,351
Walkerville.....	-	-	-	-	1,379	177,621	1,332	181,852
Wallaceburg.....	-	-	-	-	480	405,740	476	406,422
Welland.....	-	-	-	-	232	255,477	142	162,635
Windsor.....	-	-	-	-	465	864,106	455	868,806
British Columbia—								
Alert Bay.....	90	8,669	104	9,679	1,317	611,475	1,332	614,360
Anyox.....	10	95	17	12,892	518	336,762	524	335,444
Bamfield.....	34	1,646	34	2,012	576	120,390	581	130,215
Britannia Beach.....	97	181,499	94	180,224	854	297,268	844	327,999
Butedale.....	87	2,079	86	1,935	676	219,971	675	221,861
Chemainus.....	241	162,776	325	399,729	768	264,876	842	502,684
Ladysmith.....	99	46,988	156	39,524	1,001	632,991	1,623	624,794
Nanaimo.....	141	90,537	277	248,647	2,472	1,178,085	2,564	1,352,177
New Westminster.....	395	1,027,518	364	1,016,253	2,008	1,533,233	2,050	1,557,285
Ocean Falls.....	65	129,192	79	98,888	1,049	732,758	1,052	671,846
Port Alberni.....	29	76,884	62	187,831	399	189,288	434	301,346
Powell River.....	205	295,842	185	293,091	2,323	1,170,188	2,322	1,219,116
Prince Rupert.....	2,330	228,698	2,321	226,377	4,020	975,387	4,099	982,922
Quatsino.....	104	33,943	117	76,158	364	169,583	361	167,397
Stewart.....	16	8,691	26	26,465	294	306,747	290	295,452
Sidney.....	321	112,135	285	111,203	621	245,322	620	245,387
Union Bay.....	35	31,305	57	122,202	775	249,672	805	348,062
Vancouver.....	2,470	6,269,260	2,239	6,052,626	16,159	12,645,982	16,278	12,300,465
Victoria.....	2,593	4,970,336	2,404	4,411,715	6,130	6,640,420	6,193	8,701,323

Section 5.—Shipping Constructed and on the Registry.

The shipbuilding industry in Canada dates from the earliest settlement of the country, and up till the 1870's was one of the leading industries of Quebec and of the Maritime Provinces, 490 vessels with a total tonnage of 183,010 being constructed in the calendar year 1874. At this time, however, the advent of the steel ship rendered the wooden vessels, the materials for which was so abundant in Canada, obsolete, with the result that the tonnage built has never again reached the above figure, though in the fiscal years 1919 and 1920 the construction of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine, built as an extraordinary measure arising out of the war, raised the totals constructed to 104,444 and 164,074 tons respectively. Statistics of ships built and registered in Canada or sold to other countries are given in Table 58. For further information on the shipbuilding industry, see Table 6 of the chapter on Manufactures pp. 334-5.