employed in loading and unloading ships; the prevention from pollution of Canadian territorial waters by oil from ships; and the certification of marine engineers. The Board also looks after the interests of the Federal Government in schools for marine engineers.

The Chairman and the Board of Steamship Inspection are located at Ottawa and there are field offices in the principal ocean and inland ports.

17.—Statistics of Steamship Inspections, by Inspection Division, Years Ended Mar. 31, 1958 and 1959

Division	Vessels Registered or Owned in Canada				Vessels Registered or Owned Elsewhere			
	1958		1959		1958		1959	
	No.	gross tonnage	No.	gross tonnage	No.	gross tonnage	No.	gross tonnage
St. John's, Nfld	209	49,452	205	36,538	_	_	-	_
North Sydney, N.S Halifax, N.S	55	25,035	70	12,613	2	657	2	657
Halifax, N.S	226	155,771	161	97,944		-		
Saint John, N.B	51	36,614	43	24,012	1	2,338	-	_
Quebec, Que	134	72,880	137	68,495	2	7,526	6	27,902
Sorel, Que	73	45,730	81	72,286				
Montreal, Que	100	162,432	109	188,025	2	5,972	1	14,217
Kingston, Ont	96	105,068	98	145,028	l - [1	
Toronto, Ont	140 58	264,298	139 52	341,759	8	1,995	1	60
St. Catharines, Ont	43	105,592 $72,158$	30	125,180 62,993		_		
Collingwood, Ont	70	106,141	76	141,132		_		
Midland, OntPort Arthur, Ont	46	38,884	51	42,869		_		
Vancouver, B.C	413	87,671	345	100,383	9	35,187	4	27,248
Victoria, B.C	64	58,658	68	44,528	- "	_	- 1	
Totals	1,778	1,386,384	1,665	1,503,785	24	53,675	14	70,084

Pilotage.—Pilotage service functions under the provisions of Part VI of the Canada Shipping Act. Wherever a pilotage district has been created by the Governor in Council, qualified pilots are licensed by the pilotage authority of the district. There are in Canada 42 pilotage districts in nine of which the Minister of Transport is the pilotage authority (see Table 18); in each of the other districts the authority is a local body appointed by the Governor in Council.

18.—Pilotage Service, by Pilotage District, Years Ended Mar. 31, 1957 and 1958

		1957	1958	
District	Ships	Net Registered Tonnage	Ships	Net Registered Tonnage
	No.		No.	
Bras d'Or Lake, N.S. Sydney, N.S. Halifax, N.S. Saint John, N.B. Quebec, Que. Montreal, Que St. Lawrence-Kingston-Ottawa, Ont. Churchill, Man. British Columbia	174 2,394 3,416 ^r 1,275 5,951 10,616 3,228 106 5,188	461,856 4,154,763 13,689,367r 3,762,258 18,538,779 24,556,354 ————————————————————————————————————	240 2,702 3,047 1,261 6,172 10,284 2,928 136 5,133	660,744 4,610,314 12,483,470 3,723,460 19,818,438 33,999,632 240,052 21,983,302
Totals	32,348r	84,620,499r	31,903	97,519,412

In addition there are 21 districts in Newfoundland under the local pilotage authority. These districts continued to be administered under Newfoundland statutes after union with Canada (Mar. 31, 1949). Part VI of the Canada Shipping Act with respect to pilotage has not been proclaimed in force in Newfoundland.