

The following are summary comparative statements of the total yield and value of the fisheries, both marine and fresh water, of 1895 and 1896:—

KINDS OF FISH.	1895.		1896.		
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
		\$		\$	
Cod.....	Cwt.	806,415	3,630,279	809,608	3,610,935
Herring, pickled.....	Brls.	511,470	2,301,616	490,171	2,183,559
“ smoked.....	Lbs.	10,051,613	203,235	10,980,430	221,292
“ frozen, fresh.....	“	11,566,085	297,705	22,289,796	504,893
Lobsters, preserved, in cans.....	“	12,345,592	1,666,388	10,906,638	1,526,928
“ in shell, alive, &c.....	Tons.	7,374	543,708	8,988	678,834
Salmon, pickled.....	Brls.	3,825	42,312	3,186	36,498
“ fresh.....	Lbs.	4,872,770	794,964	5,439,942	965,029
“ preserved in cans.....	“	28,858,897	2,886,479	29,872,740	2,988,258
“ smoked.....	“	56,460	8,962	49,133	11,894
Mackerel, fresh and preserved.....	“	2,068,236	238,899	2,427,972	199,033
“ pickled.....	Brls.	35,554	497,756	37,765	528,710
Haddock.....	Cwt.	120,758	422,653	125,122	421,204
Hake.....	“	73,424	136,800	94,808	241,687
Pollock.....	“	59,507	148,767	88,781	221,118
Trout.....	Lbs.	6,926,116	692,189	6,950,986	690,699
“ pickled.....	Brls.	1,040	10,400	2,275	22,750
Whitefish.....	Lbs.	14,249,899	767,807	13,374,000	773,345
Smelts.....	“	9,022,157	451,108	9,970,806	498,539
Sardines.....	Brls.	188,089	377,292	86,981	176,414
“ preserved.....	Cans.	924,000	46,200	576,700	28,835
Oysters.....	Brls.	47,673	192,292	48,574	194,296
Hake sounds.....	Lbs.	47,931	23,966	69,867	34,933
Cod tongue and sounds.....	Brls.	824	8,240	845	8,450
Alewives.....	“	48,108	192,432	52,616	209,194
Shad, pickled.....	“	9,639	98,181	8,586	87,370
Eels.....	“	9,984	96,880	7,333	70,690
“ fresh.....	Lbs.	909,270	54,556	1,037,535	62,252
Halibut.....	“	3,977,350	270,901	3,672,625	253,435
Sturgeon.....	“	1,749,520	155,176	2,403,801	182,757
Maskinonge.....	“	455,535	27,332	807,950	48,477
Bass.....	“	1,159,870	85,567	1,294,595	94,442
Pickrel.....	“	7,078,411	303,296	6,897,810	274,931
Fike.....	“	3,592,975	103,325	3,594,790	99,008
Winninich.....	“	100,000	6,000	90,000	5,400
Tom cod or frost fish.....	“	2,910,510	138,525	2,657,465	137,832
Flounders.....	“	252,432	12,622	189,159	9,613
Squid.....	Brls.	15,055	60,220	24,500	98,000
Oulachons.....	Lbs.	594,200	30,625	581,500	29,550
Clams.....	Brls.	20,022	69,027	19,791	70,960
Fur seal-skins in British Columbia.....	No.	71,359	713,590	55,673	501,093
Hair.....	“	16,469	18,753	16,808	19,157
Sea otter skins.....	“	16	2,000	23	4,025
Beluga skins (white whale).....	“	205	820	222	5,328
Fish oils.....	Galls.	620,613	248,246	557,140	224,633
Haddock, smoked (finnan haddies).....	Lbs.	231,000	22,050	1,116,000	72,180
Perch.....	“	1,010,580	29,729	1,333,550	38,840
Coarse and mixed fish.....	Brls.	80,850	296,789	104,832	284,639
Fish used as bait.....	Brls.	234,696	352,047	256,146	384,219
“ manure.....	“	105,209	52,605	127,658	63,830
Guano.....	Tons.	3,615	51,155	3,416	49,540
Home consumption not included in returns.....	Lbs.	1,928,230	269,282	1,894,856	287,896
Totals.....			20,190,338		20,407,424
Increase or decrease.....			— 520,235		+ 208,086