

35.—Principal Articles carried through Canadian Canals during the Navigation Seasons 1916 and 1917.

Articles.	1916.	1917.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Barley.....	266,439	137,518	-	128,921
Buckwheat.....	12	16	4	-
Corn.....	128,307	15,658	-	112,649
Oats.....	1,013,595	398,376	-	615,219
Rye.....	21,950	5,789	-	16,161
Flax.....	96,316	35,232	-	61,084
Peas.....	161	112	-	49
Wheat.....	3,279,121	2,815,253	-	463,868
Flour.....	341,579	363,390	21,811	-
Hay.....	15,285	16,666	1,381	-
Other mill products.....	8,366	32,872	24,506	-
Fruit and vegetables.....	4,505	3,449	-	1,056
Potatoes.....	3,170	3,361	191	-
Live stock.....	988	1,249	261	-
Poultry, game and fish.....	768	2,451	1,683	-
Dressed meats.....	185	128	-	57
Other packing house products.....	861	688	-	173
Hides and leather.....	576	107	-	469
Wool.....	139	115	-	24
All other animal products.....	7,825	8,701	876	-
Agricultural implements.....	34,238	22,160	-	12,078
Cement, bricks and lime.....	29,331	25,107	-	4,224
Household goods and furniture.....	2,465	5,879	3,414	-
Iron, pig and bloom.....	12,943	7,466	-	5,477
Iron and steel, all other.....	72,395	44,555	-	27,840
Petroleum and other oils.....	147,510	214,621	67,111	-
Sugar.....	35,115	6,834	-	28,281
Salt.....	12,884	21,915	9,031	-
Wines, liquors and beer.....	4,846	4,448	-	398
Merchandise not enumerated.....	482,539	473,937	-	8,602
Pulpwood.....	862,363	678,973	-	183,390
Sawed lumber.....	485,784	408,846	-	76,938
Squared timber.....	4,643	5,273	630	-
Shingles.....	3,326	1,994	-	1,332
Other woods.....	32,757	61,552	28,795	-
Hard coal.....	702,304	832,924	130,620	-
Soft coal.....	3,388,421	3,887,353	498,932	-
Coke.....	-	4,907	4,907	-
Copper Ore.....	3,972	8,644	4,672	-
Iron ore.....	11,558,835	11,140,499	-	418,336
Other ore.....	7,048	27,708	20,660	-
Sand, etc.....	509,624	512,209	2,585	-
Total.....	23,583,491	22,238,935	822,070	2,166,626