

Si nous appliquons cette classification aux articles importés de la Grande-Bretagne et des Etats-Unis, d'où ils nous sont venus, dans le cours des trois périodes considérées, 98, 95 et 97 pour 100 respectivement des importations totales, nous obtenons les résultats suivants :—

	Total pour les périodes de cinq aus.	Moyenne annuelle.
Mécanisme de remplacement—	\$	\$
Importations de la G.-B. et des E.-U., 1882-86 .....	5,369,861	1,073,972
"          "          "          1889-93 .....	2,857,637	571,527
"          "          "          1894-98 .....	4,493,905	898,781
"          "          "          1899 .....		2,248,870
"          "          "          1900 .....		2,791,357
"          "          "          1901 .....		3,026,373
Quincaillerie et instruments tranchants—		
Importations de la G.-B. et des E.-U., 1882-86 .....	13,094,440	2,618,888
"          "          "          1889-93 .....	11,915,967	2,383,183
"          "          "          1894-98 .....	8,764,903	1,752,981
"          "          "          1899 .....		3,268,213
"          "          "          1900 .....		3,869,866
"          "          "          1901 .....		3,421,405
Machinerie—		
Importations de la G.-B. et des E.-U., 1882-86 .....	10,130,588	2,026,118
"          "          "          1889-93 .....	8,393,159	1,678,632
"          "          "          1894-98 .....	8,666,959	1,733,392
"          "          "          1899 .....		3,230,267
"          "          "          1900 .....		4,946,783
"          "          "          1901 .....		5,887,912
Fonte et fer ouvré—		
Importations de la G.-B. et des E.-U., 1882-86 .....	3,214,366	642,873
"          "          "          1889-93 .....	1,676,382	335,276
"          "          "          1894-98 .....	1,496,979	299,396
"          "          "          1899 .....		616,418
"          "          "          1900 .....		837,907
"          "          "          1901 .....		673,117
Rails et outillage de chemin de fer—		
Importations de la G.-B. et des E.-U., 1882-86 .....	15,733,927	3,146,785
"          "          "          1889-93 .....	12,194,419	2,438,884
"          "          "          1894-98 .....	7,971,642	1,594,328
"          "          "          1899 .....		1,953,372
"          "          "          1900 .....		3,207,571
"          "          "          1901 .....		3,615,856
Autres formes de fer et d'acier—		
Importations de la G.-B. et des E.-U., 1882-86 .....	22,719,719	4,543,944
"          "          "          1889-93 .....	28,225,739	5,645,148
"          "          "          1894-98 .....	28,130,882	5,626,176
"          "          "          1899 .....		8,885,933
"          "          "          1900 .....		13,935,378
"          "          "          1901 .....		10,480,848
Fer en gueuse (y compris probablement les vieux fer,—		
Importations de la G.-B. et des E.-U., 1882-86 .....	4,045,587	809,117
"          "          "          1889-93 .....	4,738,946	947,789
"          "          "          1894-98 .....	2,039,409	407,882
"          "          "          1899 .....		494,377
"          "          "          1900 .....		967,743
"          "          "          1901 .....		599,956

Au cours de la session de 1894, les droits sur le fer et l'acier furent modifiés.