

	Yards.	Yards.
Produce of fulled cloth - - - -	67,714	15,742
“ linen - - - - -	4,025	2,490
“ flannel - - - - -	128,094	37,643
	Numbers.	Numbers.
Neat Cattle - - - - -	66,262	17,896
Horses - - - - -	21,700	3,327
Sheep - - - - -	105,033	23,530
Hogs - - - - -	70,802	21,647

*Extracts from the Reply of His Excellency to the Board of Directors, on the occasion referred to :—*

“It is no new thing with me to feel an interest in the construction of a Railway through the District which it is intended that the Line we are now assembled to inaugurate shall traverse. Four years ago, on the occasion of my first visit to Toronto, I was so much struck by the great amount of local traffic, as well as by the fertility and capabilities of the country through which I passed in the course of a drive which I took along Yonge Street, that I ventured to predict that we should soon see a Railway running through it. The favorable impressions which I then received have been strengthened by subsequent observation, and they are further confirmed by the valuable statistical information contained in the Address which you have just now read. That this Railway, which is to connect Lakes Huron and Ontario, should be commenced, while I am still in Canada, is therefore a subject of no ordinary gratification to me.”

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“It is indeed my conviction that there are few parts of this wide and flourishing continent which can boast of a prosperity more uniform, and in all respects more satisfactory, than that which this City and neighbourhood enjoy.”

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Population of Upper Canada in 1842, was . . .	486,055
“ “ “ 1850, “ . . .	791,000
Increase in 8 years $62\frac{3}{4}$ per cent. . . . .	<u>304,945</u>