

QUEBEC HARBOUR COMMISSION.

MEMORANDUM regarding the opening and the closing of navigation and the formation of the ice in the Harbour of Quebec for the year 1885.

The ice formed a small distance above Chaudière during the night of the 12th and 13th January and stood till the..... 5th May.

The ice bridge formed before Quebec on the morning of the 22d January and stood till the 25th April, at which date it was cut by the winter Ferry Boats. During the night of the 25th 26th April a quantity of ice jammed opposite the City and stood till the night of the 28th same month at about 8 o'clock, when it started.....

On the evening of the 1st February considerable flood occurred : the level of the St. Lawrence in the Harbour reached an average of about four feet higher than the highest flood tide level.....

The first Schooner from below arrived the 19th April. She took her cargo at the edge of the ice bridge, about a mile east of the Breakwater

The navigation in the Harbour of Quebec and below opened the..... 29th April.

The ice on the River St. Charles began to break the 24th April and, on the 5th May, the River was opened to navigation.....

The ice in the Louise Basin commenced to break the 24th April and six days after the Basin was opened to navigation.....

The first Ocean Steamer, the "Concordia," of the Donaldson Line, arrived in the Harbour on the morning of the..... 5th May.