

DESCRIPTION OF FREIGHT CARRIED DURING THE YEARS

Description.		1887.	1888.	1889.
Flour.....	Barrels.	1,010,157	1,667,584	2,024,007
Grain	Bushels.	15,013,957	15,965,682	13,803,224
Live stock.....	Head.	205,572	251,297	276,514
Lumber	Feet.	310,180,542	351,466,992	473,462,550
Firewood.....	Cords.	97,541	107,654	100,288
Manufactured Articles.	Tons.	470,699	600,521	762,238
All other Articles.....	Tons.	534,976	556,396	632,518

FREIGHT TRAFFIC.

	1887.	1888.	1889.
Number of Tons carried.....	2,144,327	2,496,557	2,638,690
Number of Tons carried one mile.	687,786,049	784,972,511	967,508,450
Earnings per Ton per mile....	1.006 cents.	1.02 cents.	.915 cents.

PASSENGER TRAFFIC.

	1887.	1888.	1889.
Number of Passengers carried....	2,057,089	2,280,049	2,638,690
Number of Passengers carried one mile	174,687,802	212,766,865	253,905,182
Earnings per Pass. per mile....	1.98 cents.	1.79 cents.	1.78 cents.