

EXPORTS OF CANADIAN PRODUCE DURING FISCAL YEAR 1894.

To	Produce of the Mine.	Produce of Fisheries.	Products of the Forest.	Animals and their Produce.	Products of the Field.	Manufactures.	Miscellaneous.	Total.
Great Britain	\$259,613	\$4,586,715	\$11,475,692	\$28,986,095	\$12,481,275	\$3,120,614	\$20,052	\$60,878,056
British West Indies	16,418	1,181,322	227,948	81,714	817,625	147,012	.....	1,972,042
British Guiana	21,442	225,792	18,166	10,310	96,918	12,281	.....	384,915
" Africa .....	.....	960	18,424	286	.....	26,327	.....	45,997
Australia .....	.....	68,304	136,019	646	124	115,859	.....	320,952
Newfoundland	175,642	1,737	176,908	325,847	1,083,703	780,858	415	2,494,605
New Zealand .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23,789	.....	23,789
Other British Colonies.....	.....	14,065	409	277	80	3,424	.....	18,253
Total British Empire	\$ 471,115	\$6,078,895	\$12,053,566	\$29,405,175	\$13,879,725	\$4,229,664	\$20,467	\$66,138,609
United States of America	5,130,186	3,260,677	13,308,196	2,311,104	2,784,520	2,448,607	54,308	29,297,598
Spanish West Indies	7,641	879,578	180,893	2,313	90,386	12,189	.....	1,173,000
Germany.....	18,551	15,022	1,535	81,859	469,218	78,158	.....	664,343
China .....	.....	640	36,768	2,075	61	467,922	.....	507,466
France	37,290	202,874	112,568	1,611	100,427	16,786	500	472,056
Brazil .....	.....	442,978	5,800	.....	.....	10,030	.....	458,808
Norway and Sweden.....	.....	730	11,387	.....	3,058	164,980	.....	180,155
Holland	7,990	5,393	31,981	.....	121,465	11,653	.....	178,482
Belgium	4,595	2,351	4,108	9,375	146,356	2,888	.....	169,673
Sandwich Islands	80,264	3,986	3,979	.....	18	8,638	.....	96,885
Chili.....	2,820	1,000	71,903	.....	.....	6,581	.....	82,304
Mexico	8,184	35	42,937	.....	.....	6,625	.....	57,781
Spain	700	.....	58,467	.....	.....	2,107	.....	56,274
Danish West Indies .....	.....	22,567	7,906	5,119	5,928	4,562	.....	46,136
French "	6,352	1,900	16,730	708	19,660	392	.....	45,742
Denmark	500	210	.....	.....	33,977	2,058	.....	36,746
Japan .....	.....	200	13,270	1,427	528	13,388	.....	28,813
U. S. Colombia	4,272	12,103	620	50	1,259	6,420	.....	24,654
All other countries	20,619	171,552	397,834	61,157	21,062	199,107	52	871,328
Total (Can. produce) 12 mos. ..	\$5,801,009	\$11,102,692	\$26,355,448	\$31,881,973	\$17,677,649	\$7,692,755	\$75,327	\$100,586,853

CANADIAN TRADE IN 1894.

The total foreign trade of Canada in the year ended with June, 1894, amounted in value to \$240,999,889, consisting of \$123,474,940 imports and \$117,524,949 exports. This aggregate is less than either the previous year or 1892, but greater than any twelve months' Canadian trade, with those exceptions. The amount in money value done with Great Britain is the largest for twenty years, while that done with the United States shows a decided falling off compared with 1893.

It is seen that animals and their products furnish \$33,000,000 of our exports; forest products, \$27,000,000; field products, \$18,000,000; fisheries, \$12,000,000; minerals, \$6,000,000; manufactures, \$8,000,000. Of these exports seventy-four millions out of one hundred and seventeen millions goes to the British Empire. This is equal to sixty-three per cent., while twenty-six per cent. goes to the States.

The countries with which we principally traded in 1894 were as under:—

Country.	Exports to.	Entered from.
Great Britain.....	\$68,538,856	\$38,717,267
United States	35,809,940	53,084,100
Germany	2,046,052	5,841,542
Newfoundland	2,818,592	814,562
West Indies	3,443,761	3,677,411
South America	1,392,285	872,392
China and Japan	540,849	2,524,919
Australia	322,745	143,317
France	544,986	2,536,964
Spain	56,274	389,293
Portugal.....	79,363	47,106
Italy	109,188	402,443
Holland	281,058	344,706
Belgium	708,455	550,237

Taking figures of aggregate trade in the compilation on page vi. of the return, and selecting from the tables on pages 356 and 508 and 509 various countries and islands, and adding together imports from them and exports to them, we

arrive at the following percentages of total commerce with different countries:

With	Proportion of total trade.	
	Year 1894.	Year 1893.
Great Britain	46.51 per cent.	44.69 per cent.
United States	38.50 "	42.05 "
Germany	3.42 "	1.98 "
France	1.33 "	1.36 "
Other European countries	1.68 "	1.49 "
British West Indies	1.78 "	1.31 "
Other West Indies.....	1.98 "	1.64 "
Newfoundland.....	1.57 "	1.34 "
Other British possessions	1.09 "	.90 "
Other foreign countries..	2.14 "	3.44 "
Total	100.00	100.00

It will be gratifying to those who loyally desire the increase of trade within the British Empire to discover, as they may from this comparison, a growth in the trade of Canada with the British Possessions of 2.71 per cent. in the last fiscal year, namely, from 48.24 per cent. in 1893 to 50.95 per cent. in 1894. Expressed in dollars and cents, this growth was from \$115,929,800 in 1893 to \$117,500,371 in 1894.

Our transactions with outlying portions of the British Empire grew from \$4,409,500, equal to 3.55 per cent., in 1893, to \$10,239,400 last year, which is equal to 4.44 per cent.

The purchases of last year were prudently limited. There is scarcely a kind of dutiable goods among the many we compare in the following table of which the imports in 1894 were not smaller than in 1893.

As a result, there is a shrinkage in the total Canadian imports of dutiable goods in 1894 compared with 1893 of rather more than seven millions of dollars, viz., from \$69,878,000 to \$62,779,000. The decrease is seen in dry goods, in metals, paper and books, leather, wines, in fact in almost all kinds of merchandise. We compare, below, some thirty or forty different items.