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Post Office: Mail Service by Water-Continued.	\$	cts.
Brought forward	779	00
Chicoutini, Pointe à Pic and Quebec: The Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Co., contractor; distance, 235 miles; service four times per week from July 1 to 18, and Aug. 19 to Sept. 18; six times per week from July 19 to Aug. 18; and twice a week from Sept. 21 to close of navigation 1897 at \$4,500 for season; April 26 to June 30, 1898, 24 trips at \$3,500		
for season Collingwood and Killarney: Great Northern Transit Co., contractor; distance, 247 miles;	4,214	29
service twice per week from July 1 to September 1, 1897, at \$200 for season Collingwood and Sault Ste. Marie: North Shore Navigation Co., contractor; distance, 485 miles; service, semi-weekly from July 1 to close of navigation 1897, and from April 19 to	85	72
June 30, 1898, at \$2,000 for season, 64 trips in all	2,142	84
from July 1 to June 30 1898; distance 60 miles; 52 round trips at 10c per mile Desbarats and Richard's Landing: F. V. Rodger, contractor; distance, 30 miles; service	624	
four times per week from July 1 to close of navigation 1897, at \$500 for season Desbarats and Richard's Landing: L. O. Armstrong, contractor, on account of season 1898 Deseronto Navigation Co. (\$462.96)—	357 200	00
Deseronto and Picton, semi daily service from July 1 to 14 at \$1,964.24 per annum . semi daily service from Dec. 13 to May 31 at \$1.95 per d	$\frac{74}{284}$	
semi daily service from June 1 to 30 at \$3 per d	78	00
Deseronto and Northport, semi daily service from July 1 to 14 at \$50 per mside service for same period		54 00
Esquinaux Point and Rimouski: A. Fraser & Co., contractor; distance, 286 miles; service		
fortnightly from July 1 to November 12, 1897, at \$200 per trip	2,000	00
every ten days from April to June 30 at \$180 per trip. Fort Francis and Mine Centre: Fred. W. Coates, contractor; distance, 50 miles; semi monthly trips from July 1 to November 12, 1897, at \$6 per trip. \$60: May 5 to June 30.	1,260	
semi weekly trips at \$5 per trip, \$55 Fort Francis and Rat Portage: Clifford Lewis, contractor; distance 160 miles; semi-weekly service from July 1 to close of navigation 1897, 19 round trips; from May 9 to June 30	115	
1898, 16 round trips; at \$884 per season Fort Steele and Jennings, Montana: International Transportation Co., contractor; distance, 150 miles; semi_weekly_service_from_June_16_to_30, 1898; 5 round_trips_at_\$15—Less	884	00
\$31.25 paid by U. States	43	75
1898, \$75. Gaspe Basin and North Shore of River St. Lawrence: R. Lindsay, contractor; distance 356	225	00
Gaspé Basin and North Shore of River St. Lawrence: John Howell, contractor; May and	747	
June of season 1898; 4 trips at \$85	340 112	
Halifax and St. John's Nfld. (\$2,320.80):		
Vanada and Newfoundland S.S. Co.; 50c per lb. for letters and 5c for other matter,	745	
New York, Newfoundland and Halifax S.S. Co.; 16 trips to June 30 at \$75	$1,200 \\ 375$	
December quarter 1897, at 1c per letter	484	31
Kaslo and Nelson: International Navigation and Trading Co., contractor; distance 45 miles; service daily to June 30 1898, at 5c per mile		
Aingston and Thousand Island Park: M. H. Folger, contractor; distance 24 miles; service	1,408	
daily during season 1897. Kingston and Cape Vincent, N. Y.: M. H. Folger, contractor; distance, 18 miles; service	200	00
daily; 12 m to June 30. Lakefield and Juniper Island; distance, 12 miles; daily service:— W. V. Reynolds, 66 round trips to September 30 1897.	1,200	50
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Lake Temiscamingue and Head of Long Sault: A. Lumsden, contractor; distance 110 miles: service weekly from July 1 to September 30 1897 and April 26 to June 30 1898; 23 round trips at \$5.	115	00
Lévis and Quebec : Quebec and Lévis Ferry Co.—		
1. C. Railway mails, from July 1 to January 23; April 1 to June 30 1898		09
Quebec Central mails Lindsay, Sturgeon Point and Bobcaygeon: The Trent Valley Navigation Co., contractor; distances 12 and 24 miles; semi daily between Lindsay and Bobcaygeon, and daily	146	12
between Lindsay and Sturgeon Point; 79 days to September 30 1897 and 26 days from June 1 to 30 1898 at \$1.50 per d		50
trips to September 30 1897, and 1 trip in June 1898; at \$100 per trip	400	00
Carried forward	21,438	88