

ne, 1891.

	Reduction Amount.
posed ent.	8
ut val	28,183
e. off	46,123
	1,431
off	4,716
	2,231
	82,929

th June, 1891.

	Reduction Amount.
posed ent.	8
ut val.	32,448
ut val.	9,397
...	4,750
...	20,753
...	5,955
...	4,299
	77,532

ne, 1892.

	Amount Reduction.
age posed of on.	8 cts.
at.	50,499 50
	23,161 91
	1,784 67
	276 51
	81 14
	7 82
	2,308 18
	58,119 53

ity	23,084 00
"	10,995 00
"	5,378 00
"	17,832 00
"	5,905 00
"	5,162 00
"	1,532 00
...	69,888 00

FRENCH TREATY.

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SYNOPSIS.

Loss to Canada on basis of Importations for year ended 30th June, 1892:—	
Direct.....	\$58,119
Indirect.....	69,888
Loss to France on basis of Exportations and Tariff 1892.	\$30,416
Loss to Canada on basis of Importations for year ended 30th June, 1891:—	
Direct.....	\$82,929
Indirect.....	77,532
Gain to France on the basis of Exportations and Tariff in force, 1891.....	\$ 4,425
Loss to France on basis of Exportation to St. Pierre and Miquelon for year 1892 and reduction from maximum Tariff to Tariff now in force.....	\$23,439

(Circular.)

DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND COMMERCE.

OTTAWA, 20th February, 1893.

For the information of Customs Officers and others interested I have, by order of the Honourable the Minister of Trade and Commerce, the honour to advise you of the issue under date of 21st December, 1892, of a Decree of the President of the French Republic respecting the Customs Tariff of St. Pierre and Miquelon, copy whereof is hereto appended.

It may be observed that the equivalent of the French kilogram is for all practical purposes 2½ pounds avoirdupois, (actually 2.2046 pounds). The hectolitre is equal to 22 Imperial gallons (actually 22.009). The intrinsic value of the franc is 19.3/10 cents.

W. G. PARMELEE, *Deputy Minister.*

Official Journal, 25th December, 1892.

MARINE AND COLONIAL OFFICE.

The President of the French Republic.

On the report of the Minister of Marine and the Colonies ;

Considering the law of 11th January, 1892, relating to the establishment of the General Customs Tariff ;

Considering the opinion expressed by the General Council of St. Pierre et Miquelon, in the sitting of the 9th May, 1892 ;

Considering the advice of the Minister of Commerce and Industry ; •

The State Council being heard,

Decreets—

Art. 1. The exceptions to the General Customs Tariff, in so far as foreign products imported into St. Pierre et Miquelon are concerned, are established, conformably to the table annexed to this decree.

Art. 2. The taxes mentioned in the said table constitute a single tariff which is to replace the duties of the general tariff and of the minimum tariff.

Art. 3. The additional duties for warehousing in bond, established by article 2 of the law of the 11th January, 1892, and the tables C and D annexed to the aforesaid law, are not collected in the colony of Saint-Pierre et Miquelon.

Art. 4. The Minister of Marine and the Colonies is charged with the enforcement of this decree.

Done at Paris, the 21st December, 1892.

By the President of the Republic :—

The Minister of Marine and the Colonies,
BURDEAU.

CARNOT.