

The following tables and extracts from the Harbor Master's Report furnished by the Harbor Commissioners will be found interesting:—

Comparative statement of the Opening and Closing of Navigation, Arrivals and Departures, Tonnage, &c., of Sea-going Vessels during the past Five years:—

YEAR.	Opening of Navigation.	Close of Navigation.	First Vessel from Sea.	Last Vessel from Sea.	No. of Steamers.	Tonnage	Vessels from Lower Ports.	Tonnage	Vessels to Lower Ports.	Tonnage	Vessels to other Ports.	Tonnage	Total No. of Vessels	Tonnage	Greatest No. of Vessels in Port at one time.
1870.....	April.. 10	Decr... 7	April.. 30	Novr.. 25	37	45,385	79	7,265	73	6,470	149	69,742	259	121,599	35—Octr. 7
1871.....	April.. 24	Decr... 22	April.. 27	Decr.. 4	40	51,298	115	15,306	101	7,894	433	202,601	574	261,793	117—June 6
1872.....	April.. 23	Decr... 7	April.. 28	Novr.. 27	53	62,912	103	14,271	88	6,983	430	195,348	571	295,243	78—Octr. 16
1873.....	April.. 25	Decr... 12	May.. 6	Novr.. 26	54	56,490	101	13,664	81	8,179	339	144,584	504	296,224	86—June 13
1874.....	April.. 13	Decr... 10	April.. 28	Decr.. 7	51	59,071	75	9,039	90	8,628	237	94,202	378	161,901	32—June 23

Comparative statement showing the number and tonnage of River Craft, including Steamers, Barges, Batteaux, &c., in Port during the past Five Years, and the greatest number at one time:—

	River Craft.	Tonnage.	In Port at one time.
1860.....	4,558	348,652	91.....June 1
1861.....	5,247	530,224	196.....June 10
1862.....	4,875	523,991	164.....Nov. 1
1863.....	4,697	534,740	197.....June 20
1864.....	4,509	429,694	220.....Sept. 6

Comparative statement showing the number of feet of Lumber landed in the Port during the past Five years:—

1860..	7,367,800 feet.	1863..	13,013,500 "
1861..	11,183,500 "	1864..	42,000,000 "
1862..	10,572,500 "		

The classification of sea-going Vessels in Port during the past Five years was as follows:—

	1860	1861	1862	1863	1864
Steamers.....	37	40	53	54	51
Ships.....	57	138	124	78	47
Barques.....	40	160	161	149	90
Brigs.....	21	58	79	72	21
Brigantines.....	26	47	48	36	38
Schooners.....	78	131	106	113	131
Sloops.....	..	..	..	2	..
TOTALS.....	259	574	571	504	378