

STATEMENT NO. I.—CONTINUED.

EXPORTS TO U. S.		IMPORTS FROM U. S.
Fresh tomatoes		\$ 69,014
Tomatoes, corn, beans, etc., in can.....		115,905
Tomatoes, fresh or dry-salted n. o. p.....		210,983
Straw	\$ 11,567	
Trees, shrubs and plants	6,279	47,715
Peaches.....		70,903
Cranberries.....		37,412
Cherries.....		14,754
Plums.....		49,611
Apples, dried, green or ripe.....	24,183	87,131
Berries.....	109,698	90,439
Totals	\$5,425,035	\$5,122,938
		5,425,035
Balance of trade in our favor.....		\$ 302,097

Referring to the preceding statement, the high tariff of the United States, although designed to be prohibitive, has not prevented Canadian farmers from exporting to the Yankees \$302 097 worth more than the Canadians imported from them. At the same time we exported to all countries \$114,000,000 worth of these same products.

We find that these imports from the United States went into the Western Provinces of Canada as follows:

Manitoba.....	\$ 453,450
North-West Territories.....	938,985
British Columbia.....	982,499
Yukon.....	734,778
Total Imports into Western Canada.....	\$3,109,712
	5,122,938
Leaving Imports to East	\$2,013,226

While agricultural products of the value of \$2 013 226, in 1903, came into Canada east of Lake Superior, into the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec and the Maritime Provinces—at the same time the great bulk of our agricultural exports to the United States, of the value of \$5 425,000, were the production of the very same provinces and passed through the Customs port of Eastern Canada to that country. A glance at the list we have just given will easily convince that this was the fact in the case of nearly all the articles enumerated