

OUTSIDE SERVICE.

The number of persons employed in the Outside Service on the 31st December, 1878. was as follows:—

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| Superintendent of Lights and Light-keepers, &c., in Ontario, and above Montreal..... | 109 |
| Officers of Agency in City of Quebec, and Light-keepers, Fog-whistle Keepers, &c., at and below Montreal, in the Province of Quebec. | 182 |
| Agent, Clerk, Messenger, Superintendent of Lights, Light-keepers, Fog-whistle Keepers, &c., in New Brunswick..... | 66 |
| Agent, Clerk, Messenger, Superintendent of Lights, Light-keepers, Fog-whistle Keepers, Attendants at Humane Establishments, &c., in Nova Scotia..... | 178 |
| Agent and Light-keepers in Prince Edward Island..... | 23 |
| Agent and Light-keepers in British Columbia..... | 15 |
| Officers and Crews of Dominion Steamers and Vessels..... | 110 |
| Inspectors of Steamboats..... | 9 |
| Examiners of Masters and Mates, and Clerk to Chairman of Board... | 11 |
| Harbour and River Police Montreal and Quebec..... | 75 |
| Officers and Servants in Marine Hospitals..... | 75 |
| Shipping Masters..... | 20 |
| Harbour Masters..... | 105 |
| Officers of Observatories, Meteorological Observers, &c., receiving pay..... | 73 |
| Receivers of Wreck..... | 28 |
| Wharfingers..... | 5 |
| Fishery Overseers and Guardians in Ontario..... | 93 |
| do do Quebec..... | 99 |
| Commander of Fisheries Protection Vessel and Crew..... | 26 |
| Inspector of Fisheries, Overseers and Wardens in Nova Scotia..... | 250 |
| do do do New Brunswick.. | 118 |
| Fishery Overseers and Wardens in Prince Edward Island..... | 35 |
| Inspector of Fisheries and Overseer in British Columbia..... | 2 |
| Fishery Overseer in Manitoba..... | 1 |
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| Making a total of..... | 1,708 |

For the previous year the number was 1,647. In addition to the 1,708 mentioned above, there are 63 Registrars of Shipping, who act under the direction and control of this Department, but are at the same time Collectors of Customs at the various ports of registration, and receive no salary or fees in their capacity as Registrars.