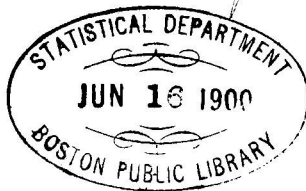


REPORT  
OF THE  
DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND COMMERCE  
OF CANADA  
FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL  
1900

RELATIVE TO IMPORTS AND EXPORTS—REVENUES AND OTHER  
TRADE STATISTICS—TARIFF CHANGES—REPORTS OF  
COMMERCIAL AGENTS AND GENERAL  
COMMERCIAL INFORMATION

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# 1.-STATISTICAL TABLES

# FINANCE.

A.—UNREVISED STATEMENT of the Revenue and Expenditure on account of the Consolidated Fund of the Dominion of Canada during the *months* of April, 1899 and 1900, and during the *ten months* ended April 30, 1899 and 1900, respectively.

	April.		Ten months ended April 30.	
	1899.	1900.	1899.	1900.
	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
Revenue—				
Customs.....	2,257,771 55	2,282,737 39	20,834,857 58	23,651,993 11
Excise.....	863,001 24	748,657 88	7,989,198 76	8,234,839 06
Post Office.....	325,332 43	302,620 50	2,699,405 94	2,550,265 91
Public Works (including Railways)...	443,946 95	512,152 33	3,608,251 04	4,214,533 40
Miscellaneous.....	283,807 28	183,979 61	2,160,987 14	2,228,588 92
Totals.....	4,173,859 45	4,030,147 71	37,232,700 46	40,880,220 40
Expenditure.....	2,852,929 16	2,742,226 40	27,973,847 04	28,793,783 23

# INLAND REVENUE.

B.—UNREVISED STATEMENT of Inland Revenue accrued in Canada during the *months* of April, 1899 and 1900, and during the *ten months* ended April 30, 1899 and 1900, respectively.

	April.		Ten months ended April 30.	
	1899.	1900.	1899.	1900.
	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
Spirits.....	382,527 17	338,230 49	3,892,483 79	4,098,264 69
Malt.....	119,996 65	69,528 98	706,305 03	749,879 19
Malt liquor. ....		25 00	6,750 00	6,985 90
Tobacco.....	280,575 11	290,175 14	2,695,778 69	2,730,105 59
Cigars.....	62,443 84	64,904 94	612,648 76	673,230 87
Inspection of petroleum.....	2,399 69	16 20	40,692 45	5,504 71
Manufactures in bond.....	2,172 39	2,187 60	29,195 61	24,174 69
Seizures ..	1,202 75	173 86	6,739 66	4,743 52
Other receipts.....	859 49	759 00	34,688 78	30,022 30
Totals, Excise Revenue.....	852,177 09	766,001 21	8,025,282 77	8,322,911 46
Culling timber.....	77 10	71 58	6,361 54	4,802 58
Hydraulic and other rents.....	63 00	3 00	2,765 00	2,516 00
Minor public works.....	570 75	570 75	980 00	1,142 44
Inspection of electric light. ....	537 75	520 75	7,082 75	7,314 25
"    gas.....	1,264 75	1,946 50	13,767 25	20,772 68
"    weights and measures.....	5,186 01	4,384 79	36,719 86	38,698 80
Law stamps.....	351 50	513 00	3,317 40	3,505 50
Other revenues. ....	36 00	102 36	2,988 60	5,174 01
Grand totals, Inland Revenue.....	860,263 95	774,113 94	8,099,265 17	8,406,837 72

# CUSTOMS.

C.—UNREVISED STATEMENT of the Values of the Imports, Entered for Consumption, and the Exports of Canada, together with the Aggregate Trade and Duty Collected during the *months* of April, 1894 to 1900.

CLASSES.	MONTH OF APRIL.						
	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.
IMPORTS.	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Dutiable .....	4,919,852	4,848,156	5,339,386	5,597,202	6,082,404	8,032,734	8,456,088
Free.....	3,135,214	4,026,937	2,381,998	2,755,190	3,550,124	4,381,305	5,151,788
Totals (mdse)...	8,055,066	8,875,093	7,721,384	8,352,392	9,632,528	12,414,039	13,607,876
Coin and bullion....	96,163	34,703	188,662	43,536	495,106	38,078	330,189
Totals, imports...	8,151,229	8,909,796	7,910,046	8,395,928	10,127,634	12,452,117	13,938,065
EXPORTS.							
Home produce.....	3,352,800	4,350,484	4,570,548	6,474,145	6,756,960	6,517,608	7,892,327
Foreign produce...	138,566	117,015	142,568	132,702	237,039	198,574	256,681
Totals (mdse)...	3,491,366	4,467,499	4,713,116	6,606,847	6,993,999	6,716,182	8,149,008
Coin and bullion....	301,481	559,534	145,786	51,843	218,165	226,720	213,220
Totals, exports...	3,792,847	5,027,033	4,858,902	6,658,690	7,212,164	6,942,902	8,362,228
AGGREGATE TRADE.							
Merchandise--							
Imports.....	8,055,066	8,875,093	7,721,384	8,352,392	9,632,528	12,414,039	13,607,876
Exports.....	3,491,366	4,467,499	4,713,116	6,606,847	6,993,999	6,716,182	8,149,008
Totals (mdse)....	11,546,432	13,342,592	12,434,500	14,959,239	16,626,527	19,130,221	21,756,884
Coin and bullion--							
Imports.....	96,163	34,703	188,662	43,536	495,106	38,078	330,189
Exports.....	301,481	559,534	145,786	51,843	218,165	226,720	213,220
Totals.....	397,644	594,237	334,448	95,379	713,271	264,798	543,409
Totals--							
Imports.....	8,151,229	8,909,796	7,910,046	8,395,928	10,127,634	12,452,117	13,938,065
Exports.....	3,792,847	5,027,033	4,858,902	6,658,690	7,212,164	6,942,902	8,362,228
Grand totals....	11,944,076	13,936,829	12,768,948	15,054,618	17,339,798	19,395,019	22,300,293
DUTY COLLECTED...	1,404,435	1,468,431	1,575,997	1,772,065	1,753,654	2,320,419	2,269,409

D.—UNREVISED STATEMENT of the Values of the Imports, Entered for Consumption, and the Exports of Canada, together with the Aggregate Trade and Duty Collected during the *ten months* ended April 30, 1894 to 1900.

CLASSES.	TEN MONTHS ENDED APRIL 30.						
	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.
IMPORTS.	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Dutiable . . . . .	53,566,795	47,827,286	56,312,182	55,897,137	61,768,780	72,805,331	87,472,837
Free . . . . .	36,864,362	35,041,472	31,297,508	33,005,598	39,804,073	48,321,021	55,830,922
Totals (mdse) . . .	90,431,157	82,868,758	87,609,690	88,902,735	101,572,853	121,126,352	143,303,759
Coin and bullion . . .	3,917,990	4,487,538	4,452,620	4,596,217	3,611,187	4,115,771	6,293,615
Totals, imports . . .	94,349,147	87,356,296	92,062,310	93,498,952	105,184,040	125,242,123	149,597,374
EXPORTS.							
Home produce . . . .	82,032,669	83,643,537	86,957,646	94,988,035	119,331,992	111,062,315	127,461,445
Foreign produce . . .	9,679,973	4,650,228	5,324,917	7,955,597	10,758,085	15,006,518	12,752,635
Totals (mdse) . . .	91,712,642	88,293,765	92,282,563	102,943,632	130,090,077	126,068,833	140,213,480
Coin and bullion . . .	1,686,511	2,956,763	4,620,887	3,396,182	4,463,289	3,746,416	8,121,971
Totals, exports . . .	93,399,153	91,250,528	96,903,450	106,339,814	134,553,366	129,815,249	148,335,451
AGGREGATE TRADE.							
Merchandise—							
Imports . . . . .	90,431,157	82,868,758	87,609,690	88,902,735	101,572,853	121,126,352	143,303,759
Exports . . . . .	91,712,642	88,293,765	92,282,563	102,943,632	130,090,077	126,068,833	140,213,480
Totals (mdse) . . .	182,143,799	171,162,523	179,892,253	191,846,367	231,662,930	247,195,185	283,517,239
Coin and bullion—							
Imports . . . . .	3,917,990	4,487,538	4,452,620	4,596,217	3,611,187	4,115,771	6,293,615
Exports . . . . .	1,686,511	2,956,763	4,620,887	3,396,182	4,463,289	3,746,416	8,121,971
Totals . . . . .	5,604,501	7,444,301	9,073,507	7,992,399	8,074,476	7,862,187	14,415,586
Totals—							
Imports . . . . .	94,349,147	87,356,296	92,062,310	93,498,952	105,184,040	125,242,123	149,597,374
Exports . . . . .	93,399,153	91,250,528	96,903,450	106,339,814	134,553,366	129,815,249	148,335,451
Grand totals . . .	187,748,300	178,606,824	188,965,760	199,838,766	239,737,406	255,057,372	297,932,825
DUTY COLLECTED . . .	16,707,298	14,747,287	17,039,210	16,941,691	18,073,917	21,072,127	24,286,148

E.—UNREVISED STATEMENT of the Values of the Principal Imports (DUTIABLE) Entered for Consumption in Canada and the Duties Collected thereon during the *months* of April, 1899 and 1900, and during the *ten months* ended April 30, 1899 and 1900, respectively.

	April, 1899.		April, 1900.		Ten months ended April 30, 1899.		Ten months ended April 30, 1900.	
	Value.	Duty Collected.	Value.	Duty Collected.	Value.	Duty Collected.	Value.	Duty Collected.
	\$	\$ cts.	\$	\$ cts.	\$	\$ cts.	\$	\$ cts.
Ale, beer and porter.....	12,245	5,060 00	17,127	7,388 12	122,752	50,794 81	151,638	62,961 12
Animals.....	50,903	10,215 38	30,744	6,200 05	372,146	75,131 49	397,769	80,602 44
Books, pamphlets, &c.....	88,590	15,943 51	98,000	16,783 52	957,790	166,171 38	1,015,192	179,947 39
Brass, manufactures of.....	47,622	13,008 21	39,630	10,819 67	325,896	90,662 34	388,130	108,008 54
Breadstuffs, viz.:—								
Corn for distillation.....	12,931	2,520 68	5,473	1,086 92	193,632	44,670 87	146,620	30,515 03
Grain of all kinds.....	5,336	955 16	6,975	995 66	69,518	14,481 62	110,204	21,398 01
Flour.....	11,104	1,978 55	9,594	1,922 08	118,808	20,756 56	136,944	24,460 40
Meal, corn and oats.....	12,276	5,094 03	3,853	548 35	93,293	17,897 37	109,121	16,783 98
Rice.....	36,110	16,993 05	31,880	16,984 03	304,861	134,597 67	316,606	143,967 43
Other breadstuffs.....	17,837	3,967 93	25,515	5,284 02	200,294	41,894 48	294,126	59,419 40
Bicycles, tricycles, velocipedes, and parts of.....	135,306	40,552 69	106,015	31,735 02	576,734	172,490 88	411,062	123,672 64
Cars, railway and tram.....	68,687	20,606 10	16,378	3,901 20	184,041	55,091 52	426,505	126,794 85
Cement and manufactures of.....	19,903	6,542 40	15,322	5,032 69	370,063	116,020 98	348,609	100,730 72
Coal, bituminous.....	483,085	157,105 17	346,137	102,769 50	3,027,226	940,626 92	3,276,853	1,002,313 00
Copper, manufactures of.....	8,776	1,681 60	29,033	5,133 34	60,749	13,649 18	164,761	33,262 33
Cottons, bleached or unbleached, not dyed, nor coloured, &c.....	65,220	13,907 34	92,101	18,715 46	635,142	138,535 97	708,318	148,902 27
" bleached, dyed, coloured, &c.....	247,517	71,538 32	282,744	79,437 00	2,817,533	804,122 57	2,958,394	830,630 08
" clothing.....	51,604	16,705 13	54,154	17,280 36	344,751	108,216 77	373,096	119,795 45
" thread (not on spools), yarn, warp, &c.....	39,399	5,248 07	56,654	7,467 53	265,067	37,410 11	401,250	55,435 39
" thread, on spools.....	16,906	3,669 99	26,354	5,772 00	252,328	52,666 81	206,120	44,948 59
" all other manufactures of.....	75,768	19,863 35	129,655	34,383 50	851,799	218,187 06	1,019,912	264,085 26
Drugs and medicines.....	157,200	35,899 19	150,039	32,567 69	1,377,970	310,143 08	1,440,007	311,007 22
Earthenware, stone and chinaware.....	56,492	14,127 79	80,790	20,508 04	740,929	181,970 38	820,234	211,805 83
Fancy goods and embroideries, viz.:—								
Bracelets, braids, fringes, &c.....	39,994	12,625 32	39,895	12,783 25	517,061	155,490 56	513,700	161,986 43
Laces, collars, nettings, &c.....	59,076	18,453 25	79,889	24,623 33	587,603	176,586 12	648,838	197,515 07
All other fancy goods.....	39,310	10,860 73	34,918	10,090 80	573,800	156,889 58	610,646	179,536 75
Fish and products of.....	35,760	6,563 75	34,520	6,494 24	443,439	76,709 69	543,579	90,499 42
Flax, &c., manufactures of.....	139,841	28,691 06	163,365	34,538 34	1,457,743	304,983 93	1,604,149	336,804 08
Fruits and nuts, dried.....	56,437	16,995 67	68,016	17,909 15	1,057,545	307,489 38	1,417,284	376,448 04
" green, viz., oranges and lemons.....	75,177	8,878 86	67,635	10,364 96	552,144	71,065 63	583,217	70,759 14
" all other.....	10,756	3,024 87	10,192	1,809 92	307,768	91,475 12	409,616	116,094 90
Furs, manufactures of.....	57,931	8,684 38	60,821	9,151 53	523,259	81,743 08	592,575	91,013 04

Glass, manufactures of, viz. :—								
Bottles, jars, decanters, tableware and gaslight shades..	37,042	10,899 51	40,135	11,994 48	424,608	122,438 00	450,558	133,767 08
Window glass.....	42,124	8,113 15	58,222	11,207 58	290,783	50,997 45	427,470	79,394 70
Plate glass.....	17,909	4,711 49	22,027	6,031 95	167,294	42,814 74	182,800	47,132 71
All other manufactures of.....	18,176	3,834 48	10,717	2,601 37	160,197	36,406 06	205,659	46,546 34
Gunpowder and explosive substances..	9,872	2,330 25	11,159	3,097 19	167,914	39,293 16	233,130	55,229 72
Gutta percha, manufactures of.....	49,411	13,229 97	53,237	14,692 83	379,796	103,689 86	439,615	121,451 61
Hats, caps and bonnets—beaver, silk or felt.	58,454	15,745 88	74,635	18,981 14	842,731	217,362 37	1,003,502	256,745 34
" " all other.....	70,797	19,742 78	76,048	21,043 66	494,420	131,434 34	490,101	130,790 18
Iron and steel and manufactures of, viz. :—								
Band, hoop, sheet and plate.....	155,047	14,774 43	234,717	16,665 23	1,539,433	124,125 96	2,602,521	194,824 25
Bar-iron and railway bars.....	44,818	9,441 36	58,045	8,436 80	465,315	126,073 00	768,618	129,155 39
Cutlery, hardware, tools and implements.....	337,820	88,198 89	386,601	94,328 35	2,600,319	658,158 36	2,923,710	739,563 16
Machines, machinery and engines, including locomotives.....	288,255	66,736 05	378,158	96,411 10	2,832,988	720,106 99	4,412,118	1,096,674 34
Pig-iron, kentledge and scraps.....	70,716	12,847 25	194,471	21,785 84	662,470	127,196 56	1,405,818	163,839 59
Stoves and castings.....	21,475	5,394 80	46,719	11,694 80	203,457	55,136 14	357,980	89,760 09
Tubing.....	73,868	12,080 12	110,505	20,716 79	727,387	139,460 48	880,096	137,526 15
All other manufactures of iron and steel.....	316,749	78,549 07	517,383	112,287 41	3,057,750	809,973 77	4,781,829	1,032,326 80
Jewellery and watches and manufactures of gold and silver.....	88,132	23,421 61	88,429	24,446 45	844,304	227,060 21	967,038	266,580 67
Lead and manufactures of.....	36,397	5,864 20	31,634	6,193 30	266,477	42,095 52	277,597	48,295 30
Leather, all kinds.....	82,728	13,202 29	76,604	11,625 61	842,852	135,081 21	880,008	139,830 29
" boots and shoes.....	48,189	11,952 72	61,807	15,416 81	335,791	83,160 74	469,753	116,928 03
" all other manufactures of leather.....	24,803	5,679 66	32,108	7,209 22	196,304	46,270 25	251,427	55,703 04
Marble and stone and manufactures of.....	17,239	4,134 20	17,641	4,194 33	163,228	37,866 21	183,433	38,584 02
Metals and manufactures of.....	58,219	15,105 76	62,383	15,870 85	542,432	143,102 08	625,092	169,154 13
Musical instruments.....	36,529	10,279 74	30,336	8,508 08	288,051	78,519 13	308,695	87,099 12
Oil, mineral, and products of.....	49,030	29,433 55	55,796	27,481 10	646,571	407,375 55	764,049	427,524 68
" flaxseed or linseed, raw or boiled.....	25,408	5,602 76	48,369	9,230 02	215,443	42,729 91	261,454	49,824 31
" all other.....	30,132	5,440 30	36,428	6,967 15	305,149	57,132 48	301,149	58,241 99
Paints and colours.....	56,020	5,066 14	88,493	8,160 75	550,713	56,574 84	678,093	67,061 39
Paper, envelopes, &c.....	98,951	29,852 07	120,714	35,950 14	1,023,050	300,217 09	1,134,380	333,764 18
Pickles, sauces, capers, all kinds.....	13,071	4,060 01	15,545	4,427 45	132,353	39,698 13	178,148	53,626 56
Provisions, viz. : lard, meats, fresh and salt.....	81,681	24,238 05	61,976	16,599 70	1,028,207	322,478 51	1,208,254	320,688 57
" butter and cheese.....	15,120	3,185 04	20,939	4,408 53	49,802	9,441 39	260,818	43,212 59
Seeds and roots.....	68,129	7,123 49	119,630	12,166 00	315,252	32,576 49	420,708	42,812 11
Silk, manufactures of.....	288,785	87,811 36	305,492	80,642 47	3,295,343	949,365 85	3,468,843	1,019,567 38
Soap, all kinds.....	40,201	9,503 53	43,231	10,140 24	302,774	71,292 52	385,635	87,998 26
Spices, ground and unground.....	15,256	2,292 30	14,592	2,149 61	158,377	25,028 32	191,632	29,215 31
Spirits, all kinds.....	85,760	202,950 80	95,313	218,997 32	907,859	2,157,445 54	1,064,835	2,441,009 11
Wines, sparkling.....	12,680	3,279 97	15,529	4,556 00	152,205	42,329 45	169,844	45,326 60
" other than sparkling.....	19,900	13,882 97	19,282	11,912 84	228,016	142,487 72	235,070	144,674 56
Molasses.....	64,344	6,201 48	76,775	9,270 78	552,937	61,726 32	896,026	89,645 52
Sugar.....	997,722	336,596 71	388,816	130,107 85	4,929,892	1,627,225 86	6,088,198	1,932,798 06
Tobacco and cigars.....	25,468	33,844 43	27,708	32,133 73	207,108	265,173 33	324,866	393,277 00
" leaf.....					1,633	979 10		
Vegetables.....	21,674	5,125 96	20,812	5,920 33	186,566	43,180 30	288,221	70,899 58
Wood, manufactures of.....	74,195	17,130 46	83,359	18,285 35	594,896	135,839 88	730,612	165,574 27
Carried forward.....	6,323,395	1,886,852 57	6,565,999	1,775,429 80	54,564,131	16,316,745 08	67,125,278	18,915,948 32

E.—UNREVISED STATEMENT of the Values of the Principal Imports (DUTIABLE) Entered for Consumption, &c.—*Concluded.*

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	April, 1899.		April, 1900.		Ten months ended April 30, 1899.		Ten months ended April 30, 1900.	
	Value.	Duty Collected.	Value.	Duty Collected.	Value.	Duty Collected.	Value.	Duty Collected.
	\$	\$ cts.	\$	\$ cts.	\$	\$ cts.	\$	\$ cts.
Brought forward.....	6,323,395	1,886,852 57	6,565,999	1,775,429 80	54,564,131	16,316,745 08	67,125,278	18,915,948 32
Woolens, carpets, Brussels and tapestry.....	109,461	29,299 80	125,531	33,346 84	838,068	224,207 39	909,361	241,719 73
" clothing.....	73,272	22,237 99	64,454	18,928 82	933,166	283,660 87	1,066,766	336,017 60
" cloths, worsted, coatings, &c.....	148,353	40,058 79	161,161	43,293 95	2,390,176	644,851 46	2,582,627	699,895 22
" dress goods.....	179,135	53,254 95	269,935	78,248 20	3,113,709	885,537 11	3,140,936	922,243 20
" knitted goods.....	55,892	17,019 54	42,551	12,111 60	543,779	158,393 49	402,548	114,435 40
" shawls.....	3,547	866 64	5,442	1,282 38	64,897	15,401 58	61,377	15,295 12
" yarns.....	24,923	4,689 80	27,853	4,929 88	227,999	44,711 09	303,719	58,406 11
" all other manufactures of.....	45,102	10,730 52	68,750	17,631 40	570,491	136,123 87	542,200	140,107 77
All other dutiable goods.....	1,069,654	255,408 42	1,124,412	284,206 60	9,558,915	2,362,495 13	11,338,025	2,842,079 63
Totals, dutiable goods.....	8,032,734	2,320,419 02	8,456,088	2,269,409 47	72,805,331	21,072,127 07	87,472,837	24,286,148 10
Coin and bullion.....	38,078	.....	330,189	.....	4,115,771	.....	6,293,615	.....
Free goods.....	4,381,305	.....	5,151,788	.....	48,321,021	.....	55,830,922	.....
Grand totals.....	12,452,117	2,320,419 02	13,938,065	2,269,409 47	125,242,123	21,072,127 07	149,597,374	24,286,148 10



F.—UNREVISED STATEMENT of the Values of the Principal Imports (FREE) Entered for Consumption in Canada during the *months* of April, 1899 and 1900, and during the *ten months* ended April 30, 1899 and 1900, respectively.

	April.		Ten months ended April 30.	
	1899.	1900.	1899.	1900.
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Animals for improvement of stock.....	15,471	13,582	140,494	233,224
Articles for the use of the army and navy.....	15,803	30,057	229,838	429,640
Asphaltum or asphalt.....	3,251	622	31,856	53,536
Broom corn.....	10,801	15,556	117,826	124,631
Coal, anthracite.....	298,457	217,638	5,158,067	5,409,343
Coffee.....	75,000	33,381	389,655	419,784
Corn, Indian.....	285,484	312,851	6,881,018	5,739,499
Cotton waste.....	17,513	21,202	155,312	263,919
" raw.....	144,485	249,909	2,830,518	3,907,914
Dyes, chemicals, &c.....	174,314	196,467	1,769,707	1,821,777
Fish and products of.....	3,098	57,447	400,518	549,786
Fisheries, articles for, nets, seines, lines, &c.....	83,898	57,172	377,547	385,950
Fruits : bananas, olives, pineapples, &c.....	55,792	51,744	308,875	334,922
Fur skins, not dressed.....	109,525	116,466	639,762	1,009,467
Grease, for soap-making, &c.....	13,040	21,051	180,134	201,893
Hides and skins.....	321,225	392,443	3,234,451	3,759,900
India-rubber and gutta percha, crude.....	171,740	236,406	1,466,458	1,758,054
Jute cloth and jute yarn.....	57,931	84,867	439,330	592,657
Metals, brass and copper.....	91,537	77,505	830,306	1,138,830
" steel rails for railways.....	2,442	35,535	1,406,499	2,363,686
" iron and steel, all other.....	278,012	456,957	1,694,640	3,156,954
" tin and zinc.....	163,855	277,412	1,037,826	1,811,781
" other.....	52,262	85,485	239,893	361,816
Oils, vegetable.....	7,614	10,237	57,886	73,348
Salt.....	20,025	28,158	212,669	207,276
Settlers' effects.....	238,248	392,630	1,988,365	2,180,772
Silk, raw.....	27,177	62,881	205,727	251,215
Sisal, manilla and hemp, undressed.....	109,888	72,307	684,381	864,143
Tea.....	138,730	154,585	3,103,808	3,227,142
Tobacco leaf.....	141,668	131,520	1,431,876	1,414,941
Wood, cabinetmakers', &c.....	149,571	237,508	1,705,883	2,217,122
Wool.....	173,052	167,267	1,237,038	1,402,090
All other free goods.....	930,396	853,840	7,732,858	8,163,910
Totals, free goods.....	4,381,305	5,151,788	48,321,021	55,830,922
Coin and bullion.....	38,078	330,189	4,115,771	6,293,615
Dutiable goods.....	8,032,734	8,456,088	72,805,331	87,472,837
Grand totals.....	12,452,117	13,938,065	125,242,123	149,597,374

G.—UNREVISED STATEMENT of the Values, by Classes, of the Exports of Canada during the *months* of April, 1899 and 1900, respectively.

	April, 1899.			April, 1900.		
	Home Produce.	Foreign Produce.	Total.	Home Produce.	Foreign Produce.	Total.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Produce of the mine .....	699,546	15,045	714,591	1,180,942	18,903	1,199,845
"    fisheries.....	355,526	4,670	360,196	417,205	431	417,636
"    forest.....	1,093,347	1,091	1,094,438	1,161,220	12,300	1,173,520
Animals and their produce.....	2,092,038	36,526	2,128,564	2,201,056	11,989	2,213,045
Agricultural products.....	1,202,408	47,022	1,249,430	1,640,728	94,154	1,734,882
Manufactures .....	1,063,381	68,550	1,131,931	1,275,020	96,419	1,371,439
Miscellaneous articles.....	11,362	25,670	37,032	16,156	22,485	38,641
Totals .....	6,517,608	198,574	6,716,182	7,892,327	256,681	8,149,008
Bullion .....	80,460	.....	80,460	127,737	.....	127,737
Coin.....	.....	146,260	146,260	.....	85,483	85,483
Grand totals .....	6,598,068	344,834	6,942,902	8,020,064	342,164	8,362,228

H.—UNREVISED STATEMENT of the Values, by Classes, of the Exports of Canada during the *ten months* ended April 30, 1899 and 1900, respectively.

	Ten months ended April 30, 1899.			Ten months ended April 30, 1900.		
	Home Produce.	Foreign Produce.	Total.	Home Produce.	Foreign Produce.	Total.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Produce of the mine .....	10,772,352	161,392	10,933,744	10,833,379	168,866	11,002,245
"    fisheries.....	7,884,192	27,163	7,911,355	9,048,910	50,086	9,098,996
"    forest.....	22,001,685	81,660	22,083,345	24,577,226	286,149	24,863,375
Animals and their produce...	41,617,780	1,082,840	42,100,620	48,187,911	960,685	49,148,596
Agricultural products.....	19,985,639	12,558,428	32,544,067	23,410,785	9,991,330	33,402,115
Manufactures .....	9,236,368	801,464	10,037,832	11,118,976	1,014,448	12,133,424
Miscellaneous articles .....	164,299	293,571	457,870	284,258	280,471	564,729
Totals .....	111,062,315	15,006,518	126,068,833	127,461,445	12,752,035	140,213,480
Bullion .....	906,692	.....	906,692	1,339,349	.....	1,339,349
Coin.....	.....	2,839,724	2,839,724	.....	6,782,622	6,782,622
Grand totals .....	111,969,007	17,846,242	129,815,249	128,800,794	19,534,657	148,335,451

I.—UNREVISED STATEMENT, by Classes, showing the Values of the Exports (Home Produce) of Canada during the *months* of April and the *ten months* ended April 30, 1894 to 1900.

HOME PRODUCE.	MONTH OF APRIL.						
	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.
<i>Classes.</i>	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Produce of the mine . . . . .	502,085	888,460	619,651	943,693	785,301	699,546	1,180,942
"    fisheries. . . . .	298,814	330,440	355,727	279,811	303,938	355,526	417,205
"    forest. . . . .	814,554	933,452	1,230,784	1,940,067	916,157	1,093,347	1,161,220
Animals and their produce. . . . .	652,608	1,211,505	1,165,106	1,446,011	2,003,232	2,092,038	2,201,056
Agricultural products. . . . .	463,647	422,996	406,906	996,432	1,764,222	1,202,408	1,640,728
Manufactures. . . . .	609,919	552,179	774,856	860,455	975,085	1,063,381	1,275,020
Miscellaneous articles . . . . .	11,173	11,452	17,518	7,676	9,025	11,362	16,156
Totals (mdse) . . . . .	3,352,800	4,350,484	4,570,548	6,474,145	6,756,960	6,517,608	7,892,327
Bullion . . . . .	24,740	19,320	16,950	15,069	58,129	80,460	127,537
Totals, Exports (H. P.).	3,377,540	4,369,804	4,587,498	6,489,214	6,815,089	6,598,068	8,020,064

## NINE MONTHS ENDED APRIL 30.

Produce of the mine. . . . .	4,809,615	5,753,146	6,612,366	9,336,456	12,360,505	10,772,352	10,833,379
"    fisheries. . . . .	9,577,020	8,997,889	8,974,826	8,619,419	8,767,998	7,884,192	9,048,910
"    forest. . . . .	19,927,779	18,520,257	20,255,119	22,917,624	21,708,695	22,001,685	24,577,226
Animals and their produce. . . . .	25,858,308	29,511,951	32,035,953	32,771,585	38,910,596	41,017,780	48,187,911
Agricultural products. . . . .	15,455,318	14,729,343	11,347,070	13,668,006	28,774,048	19,985,639	23,410,785
Manufactures . . . . .	6,277,669	6,007,739	7,568,971	7,533,113	8,697,672	9,236,368	11,118,976
Miscellaneous articles . . . . .	126,960	123,212	163,341	141,832	112,478	164,299	284,258
Totals (mdse). . . . .	82,032,669	83,643,537	86,957,646	94,988,035	119,331,992	111,062,315	127,461,445
Bullion. . . . .	260,282	252,150	170,517	301,844	890,852	906,692	1,339,349
Totals, Exports (H. P.)	82,292,951	83,895,687	87,128,163	95,289,879	120,222,844	111,969,007	128,800,794

J.—UNREVISED STATEMENT, by Classes, showing the Values of the Exports (Foreign Produce) of Canada during the *months* of April and the *ten months* ended April 30, 1894 to 1900.

FOREIGN PRODUCE.	MONTH OF APRIL.						
	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.
<i>Classes.</i>	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Produce of the mine.....	13,308	6,898	9,910	23,777	22,905	15,045	18,903
"    fisheries.....	6,834	6,658	11,249	7,206	3,393	4,670	431
"    forest. ....	15,780	1,157	172	4,890	105	1,091	12,300
Animals and their produce..	22,641	23,609	34,425	9,368	15,095	36,526	11,989
Agricultural products ....	33,652	15,579	9,743	12,608	6,470	47,022	94,154
Manufactures.....	40,413	54,093	73,110	60,872	60,545	68,550	96,419
Miscellaneous articles ....	5,938	9,021	3,959	13,981	128,526	25,670	22,485
Totals (mdse.).....	138,566	117,015	142,568	132,702	237,039	198,574	256,681
Coin .....	276,741	540,214	128,836	36,774	160,036	146,260	85,483
Totals, Exports (F.P.)..	415,307	657,229	271,404	169,476	397,075	344,834	342,164

## TEN MONTHS ENDED APRIL 30.

Produce of the mine.....	213,622	179,291	196,609	209,540	163,042	161,392	168,866
"    fisheries.....	296,337	155,993	91,223	249,730	113,742	27,163	50,086
"    forest.....	100,143	200,314	141,775	145,716	448,436	81,660	286,149
Animals and their produce..	923,872	1,075,718	857,614	864,741	1,665,600	1,082,840	960,685
Agricultural products ....	7,434,288	1,890,339	3,030,492	5,704,335	7,365,423	12,558,428	9,991,330
Manufactures.....	527,462	929,858	664,026	590,648	715,601	801,464	1,014,448
Miscellaneous articles ....	184,249	218,715	343,178	190,887	286,241	293,571	280,471
Totals (mdse.).....	9,679,973	4,650,228	5,324,917	7,955,597	10,758,085	15,006,518	12,752,035
Coin .....	1,426,229	2,704,613	4,450,370	3,094,338	3,572,437	2,839,724	6,782,622
Totals, Exports (F.P.)..	11,106,202	7,354,841	9,775,287	11,049,935	14,330,522	17,846,242	19,534,657

K.—UNREVISED STATEMENT, by Classes, showing the Values of the Exports (Totals) of Canada, during the *months* of April and the *ten months* ended April 30, 1894 to 1900.

TOTAL EXPORTS.	MONTH OF APRIL.						
	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.
<i>Classes.</i>	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Produce of the mine. ....	515,393	895,358	629,561	967,470	808,206	714,591	1,199,845
"    fisheries. ....	305,648	337,098	366,976	287,017	307,331	360,196	417,636
"    forest. ....	830,334	934,609	1,230,956	1,944,957	916,262	1,094,438	1,173,520
Animals and their produce .	675,249	1,235,114	1,199,531	1,455,379	2,018,327	2,128,564	2,213,045
Agricultural products. ....	497,299	438,575	416,649	1,009,040	1,770,692	1,249,430	1,734,882
Manufactures. ....	650,332	606,272	847,966	921,327	1,035,630	1,131,931	1,371,439
Miscellaneous articles. ....	17,111	20,473	21,477	21,657	137,551	37,032	38,641
Totals (mdse.) . . . . .	3,491,366	4,467,499	4,713,116	6,606,847	6,993,999	6,716,182	8,149,008
Bullion. ....	24,740	19,320	16,950	15,069	58,129	80,460	127,737
Coin. ....	276,741	540,214	128,836	36,774	160,036	146,260	85,483
Total Exports. ....	3,792,847	5,027,033	4,858,902	6,658,690	7,212,164	6,942,902	8,362,228

## TEN MONTHS ENDED APRIL 30.

Produce of the mine. ....	5,023,237	5,932,437	6,808,975	9,545,996	12,523,547	10,933,744	11,002,245
"    fisheries. ....	9,873,357	9,153,882	9,066,049	8,869,149	8,881,740	7,911,355	9,098,996
"    forest. ....	20,027,922	18,720,571	20,396,894	23,063,340	22,157,131	22,083,345	24,863,375
Animals and their produce. .	26,782,180	30,587,669	32,893,567	33,636,326	40,576,196	42,100,620	49,148,596
Agricultural products. ....	22,889,606	16,619,682	14,377,562	19,372,341	36,139,471	32,544,067	33,402,115
Manufactures. ....	6,805,131	6,937,597	8,232,997	8,123,761	9,413,273	10,037,832	12,133,424
Miscellaneous articles. ....	311,209	341,927	506,519	332,719	398,719	457,870	564,729
Totals (mdse.) . . . . .	91,712,642	88,293,765	92,282,563	102,943,632	130,090,077	126,068,833	140,213,480
Bullion. ....	260,282	252,150	170,517	301,844	890,852	906,692	1,339,349
Coin. ....	1,426,229	2,704,613	4,450,370	3,094,338	3,572,437	2,839,724	6,782,622
Total Exports. ....	93,399,153	91,250,528	96,903,450	106,339,814	134,553,366	129,815,249	148,335,451

L.—SUMMARY STATEMENT (Unrevised) of the Revenue and Expenditure on account of the Consolidated Fund of Canada, during each *month* of the Fiscal Year ended June 30, 1899, and same for *first ten months* of Fiscal Year ending June 30, 1900.

Month ended	FISCAL YEAR 1898-9.		FISCAL YEAR 1899-1900.	
	Consolidated Fund of Canada.		Consolidated Fund of Canada.	
	Revenue.	Expenditure.	Revenue.	Expenditure.
	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
July 31.....	3,639,619 24	2,491,128 96	3,228,532 68	2,353,786 44
August 31.....	3,673,617 80	1,541,311 34	4,173,660 04	1,614,955 61
September 30.....	4,128,662 95	1,752,141 06	4,262,636 46	2,190,590 81
Totals.....	11,441,899 99	5,784,581 36	11,664,829 18	6,159,332 86
October 31.....	3,355,797 56	2,735,569 60	4,335,652 14	3,019,030 98
November 30.....	3,614,243 69	3,872,477 02	4,198,892 25	3,839,457 89
December 31.....	3,701,437 63	2,419,309 49	4,287,178 50	2,638,700 24
Totals.....	10,671,478 88	9,027,356 11	12,821,722 89	9,497,189 11
January 31.....	3,550,102 68	6,540,687 32	4,364,388 48	6,739,531 37
February 28.....	3,620,163 70	2,244,509 99	3,426,071 55	2,622,236 97
March 31.....	3,775,195 76	1,523,783 10	4,573,060 59	1,033,266 52
Totals.....	10,945,462 14	10,308,980 41	12,363,520 62	10,395,034 86
April 30.....	4,173,859 45	2,852,929 16	4,030,147 71	2,742,226 40
May 31.....	3,974,158 75	3,480,104 48		
June 30.....	3,491,296 18	2,244,640 81		
Totals.....	11,639,314 38	8,577,674 45		
Grand totals.....	44,698,155 39	33,698,592 33		

M.—SUMMARY STATEMENT (Unrevised) of Inland Revenue of Canada, accrued during each *month* of the Fiscal Year ended June 30, 1899, and same for *first ten months* of the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 1900.

FISCAL YEAR 1898-9.				FISCAL YEAR 1899-1900.			
Month ended	—	Month ended	—	Month ended	—	Month ended	—
	\$ cts.		\$ cts.		\$ cts.		\$ cts.
July 31..	727,929 31	Jan. 31..	709,178 13	July 31..	735,907 25	Jan. 31..	769,907 21
Aug. 31..	811,759 19	Feb. 28..	738,546 88	Aug. 31..	778,682 53	Feb. 28..	726,556 28
Sept. 30..	819,290 95	Mar. 31..	751,646 23	Sept. 30..	890,023 56	Mar. 31..	928,683 41
Totals..	2,358,975 45	Totals..	2,199,371 24	Totals..	2,404,613 34	Totals..	2,425,146 90
Oct. 31..	892,131 87	April 30..	860,263 95	Oct. 31..	941,449 48	April 30..	774,113 94
Nov. 30..	875,239 08	May 31..	867,552 23	Nov. 30..	929,494 70	May 31..	
Dec. 31..	913,279 58	June 30..	786,742 73	Dec. 31..	932,019 36	June 30..	
Totals..	2,680,650 53	Totals..	2,514,558 91	Totals..	2,802,963 54	Totals..	
Grand totals, Inland Revenue...			9,753,560 13	Grand totals, Inland Revenue....			

N.—SUMMARY STATEMENT (Unrevised) of the Values of the Imports Entered for Consumption in Canada (DUTIABLE AND FREE), with the Duties Collected thereon and the Exports from Canada during each *month* of the Fiscal Year ended June 30, 1899, and same for *first ten months* of the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 1900, respectively. (*Coin and Bullion included.*)

Month ended		FISCAL YEAR 1898-9.						FISCAL YEAR 1899-1900.					
		Imports.			Exports.	Total Imports and Exports.	Duty Collected.	Imports.			Exports.	Total Imports and Exports.	Duty Collected.
		Dutiable.	Free.	Total.				Dutiable.	Free.	Total.			
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$ cts.	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$ cts.
July 31....		10,520,658	6,562,608	17,083,266	14,587,860	31,671,126	2,767,074 71	7,767,338	6,691,647	14,458,985	13,681,232	28,140,217	2,136,296 92
Aug. 31....		7,210,547	6,880,212	14,090,759	14,267,113	28,357,872	2,047,265 06	9,923,991	7,395,988	17,319,979	20,157,697	37,477,676	2,736,585 13
Sept. 30....		6,817,342	6,198,803	13,016,145	14,610,112	27,626,257	1,970,604 72	8,784,725	7,155,144	15,939,869	17,089,535	33,029,404	2,501,081 65
Totals..		24,548,547	19,641,623	44,190,170	43,465,085	87,655,255	6,784,944 49	26,476,054	21,242,779	47,718,833	50,928,464	98,647,297	7,373,963 70
Oct. 31....		6,426,294	5,303,602	11,729,896	19,989,862	31,719,758	1,910,977 96	8,777,730	5,780,236	14,557,966	18,737,012	33,294,978	2,401,264 16
Nov. 30....		6,392,224	6,458,391	12,850,615	18,041,206	30,891,821	1,898,267 87	8,755,719	7,922,428	16,678,147	19,451,422	36,129,569	2,456,042 07
Dec. 31....		6,156,984	4,033,670	10,190,654	17,406,830	27,597,484	1,926,487 45	8,665,844	6,077,070	14,742,914	20,676,857	35,419,771	2,463,872 09
Totals..		18,975,502	15,795,663	34,771,165	55,437,898	90,209,063	5,735,733 28	26,199,293	19,779,734	45,979,027	58,865,291	104,844,318	7,321,178 32
Jan. 31 ...		6,341,246	4,144,550	10,485,796	7,667,252	18,153,048	1,887,352 63	8,547,730	5,577,498	14,125,228	10,036,999	24,162,227	2,381,500 33
Feb. 28....		6,825,126	4,105,485	10,930,611	8,122,665	19,053,276	2,019,098 17	8,281,406	4,972,554	13,253,960	9,327,961	22,581,921	2,305,248 23
Mar. 31....		8,082,176	4,330,088	12,412,264	8,179,447	20,591,711	2,324,579 48	9,512,266	5,069,995	14,582,261	10,814,508	25,396,769	2,634,848 05
Totals..		21,248,548	12,580,123	33,828,671	23,969,364	57,798,035	6,231,030 28	26,341,402	15,620,047	41,961,449	30,179,468	72,140,917	7,321,596 61
April 30....		8,032,734	4,419,383	12,452,117	6,942,902	19,395,019	2,320,419 02	8,456,088	5,481,977	13,938,065	8,562,228	22,300,293	2,269,409 47
May 31....		7,359,103	5,667,590	13,026,693	5,203,017	22,229,710	2,028,311 66	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
June 30....		7,371,651	6,380,591	13,752,242	15,065,384	28,817,626	2,057,492 04	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals..		22,763,488	16,467,564	39,231,052	31,211,303	70,442,355	6,406,222 72	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grand totals.		87,536,085	64,484,973	152,021,058	154,083,650	306,104,708	25,157,930 77	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....



## GREAT BRITAIN.

O.—STATEMENT, by Classes, showing the Values of the Trade of Great Britain for the *ten months* ended April 30, 1898, 1899 and 1900.

Classification of Articles.	Ten Months ended April 30.		
	1898.	1899.	1900.
	£	£	£
<b>IMPORTS :—</b>			
Animals, living (for food).....	45,730,333	37,902,159	37,346,790
Articles of food, drink and narcotics. ....	777,269,266	790,299,134	826,497,405
Chemicals, dye stuffs and tanning substances.....	22,411,126	22,867,673	22,838,400
Manufactured articles.....	348,440,003	355,955,003	379,160,150
Metals.....	86,429,761	96,778,416	119,281,118
Oils.....	32,993,012	35,684,925	42,102,258
Raw materials.....	497,685,933	502,087,999	534,760,215
Miscellaneous articles and parcel post.....	65,528,416	68,014,202	73,127,326
Totals, imports.....	1,876,487,850	1,909,589,511	2,035,113,662
<b>EXPORTS :—</b>			
<i>Domestic—</i>			
Animals, living.....	4,801,745	4,034,782	3,885,648
Articles of food and drink.....	48,906,004	50,368,350	53,822,627
Manufactured and partly manufactured articles—			
Apparel and slops.....	40,513,549	40,029,944	40,004,194
Chemicals, drugs and medicines.....	34,499,713	34,167,738	37,232,916
Metals and metalware.....	199,374,272	225,226,477	293,100,352
Yarns and textile fabrics.....	385,388,867	391,014,557	424,029,980
Miscellaneous articles and parcel post.....	140,730,684	145,002,241	155,234,436
Raw materials.....	80,967,020	95,140,530	126,541,076
Totals, exports, domestic.....	935,181,854	984,984,619	1,133,851,229
<i>Foreign.....</i>	237,099,444	247,501,696	263,270,641
Totals, exports.....	1,172,281,298	1,232,486,315	1,397,121,870
<b>AGGREGATE TRADE—</b>			
Imports.....	1,876,487,850	1,909,589,511	2,035,113,662
Exports.....	1,172,281,298	1,232,486,315	1,397,121,870
Grand totals.....	3,048,769,148	3,142,075,826	3,432,235,532

## GREAT BRITAIN.

P.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT (Unrevised) of the Quantities and Values of the Principal Articles of Merchandise Imported into Great Britain from Canada during the *months* of April and the *ten months* ended April 30, in the Years 1898, 1899 and 1900, respectively. (*From English Returns.*)

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.						VALUES.					
	Month of April.			Ten months ended April 30.			Month of April.			Ten months ended April 30.		
	1898.	1899.	1900.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1898.	1899.	1900.
							\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Animals, living—												
Cattle..... No.	1,311	1,977	4,031	97,596	85,479	77,430	111,431	156,818	316,606	7,719,761	6,310,377	6,359,737
Sheep and lambs..... "	879	297	424	61,656	39,086	56,312	6,414	2,195	2,725	447,714	288,510	431,442
Horses..... "	85	36	428	8,061	3,774	4,235	10,059	5,169	62,488	981,200	510,634	559,837
Grain—												
Indian corn..... Cwt.	4,000	48,400	.....	3,615,902	6,013,400	3,684,800	3,942	47,056	.....	3,141,240	5,594,839	3,626,687
Wheat..... "	164,400	150,000	330,900	4,284,900	4,338,100	4,776,100	342,219	247,630	552,926	8,413,331	7,622,265	7,938,565
Wheat flour..... "	39,000	30,700	82,100	1,356,890	1,794,900	2,319,530	108,730	68,814	171,784	3,614,454	4,297,354	4,207,254
Pease..... "	17,800	12,700	19,000	880,489	821,220	678,920	27,667	19,466	30,183	1,152,265	1,233,822	1,061,798
Oats..... Bush.	.....	.....	71,100	.....	.....	71,100	.....	.....	94,773	.....	.....	94,773
Metals—												
Copper ore..... Tons.	.....	36	1	41,883	32,850	21	25	1,217	34	379,011	247,852	773
Provisions—												
Bacon..... Cwt.	11,041	19,121	30,321	235,986	427,749	425,404	105,193	146,117	293,129	2,040,691	3,787,606	3,602,343
Hams..... "	607	10,690	10,122	90,757	119,311	128,410	5,830	97,104	113,885	956,028	1,125,286	1,325,953
Butter..... "	41	535	7	109,512	147,134	229,472	934	11,874	165	2,169,335	3,035,291	4,989,436
Cheese..... "	13,514	11,379	12,416	1,386,397	1,266,734	1,182,596	136,762	130,801	147,898	14,568,749	12,710,881	13,114,860
Eggs..... Gt. hunds.	290	.....	200	561,470	747,075	666,190	495	.....	258	937,047	1,227,559	1,173,361
Fish, cured or salted..... Cwt.	88,800	58,967	72,293	439,325	286,899	206,098	826,292	673,683	937,447	4,012,873	2,353,196	2,835,798
Pulp of wood..... Tons.	5,071	3,634	5,609	12,178	11,581	32,807	92,539	56,273	117,184	251,419	216,035	518,413
Wood and timber—												
Hewn..... Loads	2,136	853	513	140,860	96,615	92,710	31,980	13,933	8,502	3,416,867	2,273,931	2,121,255
Sawn or split, planed or dressed..... "	11,329	20,675	28,556	1,604,113	1,483,819	1,454,484	116,819	225,162	348,166	18,234,809	16,627,747	16,953,023

# GREAT BRITAIN.

Q.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT (Unrevised) of the Quantities and Values of the Principal Articles of Merchandise Exported from Great Britain to British North America during the *months* of April and the *ten months* ended April 30, in the Years 1898, 1899, and 1900, respectively. (*From English Returns.*)

NOTE:—The figures for April, 1899 and 1900 and the figures subsequent to December 31, 1898 of the ten months ended April 30, 1899 and 1900, are for Canada only.

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.						VALUES.					
	Month of April.			Ten months ended April 30.			Month of April.			Ten months ended April 30.		
	1898.	1899.	1900.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1898.	1899.	1900.
I. BRITISH AND IRISH PRODUCE.							\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
1. Articles of Food and Drink:—												
Salt, rock and white... Tons.	5,363	6,085	3,859	48,099	49,971	16,635	16,917	17,617	13,101	145,658	153,981	147,156
Spirits.....Pl. galls.	37,252	38,793	53,715	294,648	341,543	370,856	91,575	78,956	113,331	574,751	654,177	744,705
2. Raw Materials:—												
Wool, sheep and lambs. Lbs.	25,800	39,400	85,500	1,421,500	561,600	1,287,700	5,435	7,440	15,744	271,276	104,590	214,101
3. Articles manufactured and partly manufactured:—												
Cotton manufactures—												
Piece goods, gray or unbleached... Yds.	48,800	54,700	193,500	727,300	1,124,700	872,200	2,034	2,511	11,446	32,841	55,233	43,283
Piece goods, bleached... "	212,600	349,800	530,600	2,474,100	4,569,200	5,938,100	14,415	19,739	35,132	162,541	282,433	392,820
" printed... "	609,800	702,700	828,600	11,794,000	13,280,500	14,071,900	36,106	44,136	53,275	737,431	827,492	881,663
" dyed, or manufactured of dyed yarn... "	944,300	782,900	897,300	10,663,100	12,274,500	12,486,100	86,023	79,370	98,492	978,321	1,092,448	1,338,703
Jute manufactures—												
Piece goods, all kinds... "	995,300	919,900	1,517,700	13,047,100	11,568,600	10,840,500	45,464	44,233	73,175	569,671	480,784	512,625
Linen manufactures—												
Piece goods, all kinds... "	465,400	575,000	936,200	6,756,500	8,495,400	9,409,200	39,575	46,185	65,987	556,604	653,962	789,718
Silk manufactures—												
Lace... "							1,684	10,808	6,103	30,337	48,138	64,045
Silk and other materials... "							3,207	9,051	10,059	99,453	154,915	264,363
Woollen tissues... Yds.	94,700	134,100	217,000	1,814,800	2,724,000	3,155,300	42,404	64,575	107,217	975,242	1,349,518	1,609,893
Worsted... "	423,000	301,100	365,600	9,249,400	7,593,100	6,797,800	130,602	100,199	138,807	2,619,134	2,453,175	2,605,524
Carpets, not being rugs... "	139,400	166,000	297,400	1,751,600	1,924,100	2,437,400	52,963	69,330	125,195	700,131	812,229	1,050,837
Hardware, unenumerated... "							30,655	9,309	9,047	280,561	97,810	105,197
Cutlery... "							*	21,656	23,370	*	234,399	220,943

\* Included with 'Hardware, unenumerated' prior to 1899.

Q.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT (Unrevised) of the Quantities and Values of the Principal Articles of Merchandise Exported from Great Britain to British North America, &c.—*Concluded.*

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.						VALUES.					
	Month of April.			Ten months ended April 30.			Month of April.			Ten months ended April 30.		
	1898.	1899.	1900.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1898.	1899.	1900.
<b>I. BRITISH AND IRISH PRODUCE</b>												
— <i>Con.</i>												
Iron and Steel—												
Iron: Pig..... Tons.	986	350	942	4,127	2,188	12,807	13,057	4,565	17,612	57,482	34,691	222,465
Bar, angle, bolt and rod ..	253	64	260	1,050	1,027	4,153	8,185	2,827	13,505	38,158	53,553	174,506
Railroad, of all sorts. "	3	24	3	7,480	3,466	30,287	243	725	336	158,045	68,609	645,688
Hoops, sheet, boiler, and armour plates..... Tons.	259	286	650	8,430	6,735	10,556	8,842	12,726	31,405	295,478	267,242	414,612
Galvanized sheets..... "	631	279	280	3,750	3,244	3,516	46,340	19,223	23,944	255,436	230,249	268,330
Tin plates and sheets. "	1,570	1,105	2,240	17,378	13,089	19,994	72,980	57,387	161,598	857,320	641,829	1,295,728
Cast and wrought iron and all other manufactures. Tons	448	109	281	2,454	1,695	4,003	20,035	8,336	27,643	143,663	118,794	335,690
Old, for remanufacture ..	164	34	303	2,660	216	3,937	1,411	662	6,351	34,307	3,090	73,665
Steel, unwrought..... "	290	210	1,705	4,100	2,517	24,764	16,965	17,111	87,722	252,507	163,540	1,059,388
Lead: Pig..... "	105	333	80	1,850	2,191	1,804	7,796	25,591	7,154	123,730	157,863	145,821
Tin, unwrought..... Cwt.	726	124	568	5,064	2,980	4,308	11,943	3,392	18,586	77,697	63,707	142,984
Apparel and slops .....							179,759	66,838	93,893	1,410,799	1,192,934	1,149,703
Haberdashery and millinery, including embroideries and needlework .....							96,824	42,388	30,595	640,012	633,046	687,207
Alkali..... Cwt.	21,564	10,614	19,557	165,152	148,475	192,630	29,404	11,319	24,319	198,550	176,384	196,013
Cement..... Tons.	1,882	1,792	1,611	12,177	10,282	16,424	17,047	17,389	15,929	104,311	98,711	160,720
Earthenware and chinaware.....							67,753	52,700	43,722	634,887	634,887	526,724
Oil, seed oil..... Tons.	393	371	424	1,672	2,796	2,740	31,871	32,879	48,939	133,799	239,247	287,364
Paper, writing or printing and envelopes..... Cwt.	880	1,810	2,710	12,823	15,891	15,389	7,509	11,563	17,101	115,992	121,409	125,823
Paper, all other, except hanging..... Cwt.	491	167	347	2,939	3,142	3,582	5,015	2,078	5,125	34,590	37,358	38,479
Stationery, other than paper .....							8,979	6,842	7,451	119,704	106,468	99,059
<b>II.—FOREIGN AND COLONIAL PRODUCE.</b>												
Tea of British East India Lbs.	93,773	48,154	102,838	880,062	1,606,232	1,358,601	18,580	12,264	23,131	181,696	319,511	245,739
" Ceylon..... "	190,616	37,572	150,961	1,277,373	1,545,382	1,511,181	35,624	7,908	31,877	265,593	313,789	291,543
" China..... "	155,132	43,291	52,089	891,662	775,747	374,847	27,749	10,273	9,918	162,520	147,928	71,666
" other countries..... "	43,662	7,385	520	68,349	42,897	29,409	8,838	1,051	170	12,287	8,144	5,497

## UNITED STATES.

R.—STATEMENT showing the Values of the Trade of the United States for the *nine months* ended March 31, 1898, 1899 and 1900.

Classification of Articles.	Nine Months ended March 31.		
	1898.	1899.	1900.
	\$	\$	\$
IMPORTS :—			
Articles of food and live animals.....	126,069,924	145,370,907	161,476,691
Articles in a crude condition for domestic industry.....	153,677,888	160,430,297	229,419,497
Articles manufactured—			
For mechanic arts .....	51,658,805	42,038,612	65,956,956
For consumption.....	63,934,996	82,649,596	97,970,305
Articles of voluntary use, &c .....	59,911,695	69,538,487	86,745,042
Totals, imports.....	455,253,308	500,027,899	641,568,491
EXPORTS :—			
Domestic—			
Products of agriculture.....	652,453,775	630,134,009	648,498,459
" manufactures .....	208,788,036	242,883,645	313,278,668
" mining .....	14,636,131	21,300,617	28,544,692
" forest.....	27,365,417	29,595,558	37,000,080
" fisheries.....	4,642,181	5,075,303	5,476,673
" miscellaneous.....	2,665,091	2,478,747	3,730,498
Totals, domestic .....	910,550,631	931,467,879	1,036,529,070
Foreign—			
Free of duty.....	6,121,196	6,902,244	8,712,009
Dutiable.....	9,233,529	9,529,470	8,579,601
Totals, foreign .....	15,354,725	16,431,714	17,291,610
Totals, exports .....	925,905,356	947,899,593	1,053,820,680
AGGREGATE TRADE :—			
Imports.....	455,253,308	500,027,899	641,568,491
Exports.....	925,905,356	947,899,593	1,053,820,680
Grand totals.....	1,381,158,664	1,447,927,492	1,695,389,171

## UNITED STATES.

S.—STATEMENT of Imports and Exports of the United States from and to the undermentioned Countries in the latest Month for which Returns have been received, with Aggregate for the period from July 1 preceding, including such latest Month. (From United States Returns.)

NAME OF COUNTRY.	LATEST MONTH.	VALUE FOR THE MONTH.				AGGREGATE FOR THE PERIOD OF THE YEAR, INCLUDING LATEST MONTH.			
		1899.		1900.		1899.		1900.	
		Imports.	Exports.	Imports.	Exports.	Imports.	Exports.	Imports.	Exports.
<i>Europe.</i>		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Belgium . . . . .	March . . . . .	1,346,515	3,356,543	1,543,544	3,976,960	8,273,051	35,330,820	9,725,146	38,007,217
France . . . . .	" . . . . .	6,113,129	5,412,013	7,306,759	8,895,036	47,738,575	48,531,704	58,293,747	66,513,209
Germany . . . . .	" . . . . .	8,331,744	11,607,004	10,603,885	18,680,454	63,944,880	123,221,754	74,882,592	142,781,489
Great Britain . . . . .	" . . . . .	11,321,573	43,093,253	14,787,989	50,085,791	87,592,531	401,825,236	122,149,584	406,047,092
Italy . . . . .	" . . . . .	2,863,787	2,440,379	3,683,759	3,642,216	17,045,557	19,750,407	20,465,180	23,333,077
Netherlands . . . . .	" . . . . .	739,804	6,766,816	1,101,066	8,134,906	9,832,012	62,371,884	10,598,088	68,510,152
All other . . . . .	" . . . . .	4,141,871	7,137,907	6,016,093	5,943,347	29,669,208	46,778,287	42,318,285	47,859,797
Totals . . . . .	" . . . . .	34,858,423	79,813,915	45,043,095	99,358,710	264,095,814	737,810,092	338,432,622	793,052,033
<i>North America.</i>									
British North America . . . . .	March . . . . .	1,918,968	6,329,465	2,408,650	7,892,837	23,242,665	66,653,833	29,572,932	69,780,474
Central American States . . . . .	" . . . . .	1,621,714	452,026	1,331,823	618,809	5,671,907	3,652,834	5,742,610	4,290,114
Mexico . . . . .	" . . . . .	2,546,769	2,279,819	2,860,671	3,435,518	16,155,103	17,942,308	20,365,084	24,970,867
West Indies . . . . .	" . . . . .	5,664,117	4,366,374	5,693,879	4,254,331	23,502,662	25,501,349	29,902,379	34,596,847
All other . . . . .	" . . . . .	90,600	163,258	32,863	220,226	365,594	1,261,917	336,522	1,483,890
Totals . . . . .	" . . . . .	11,842,168	13,590,942	12,327,886	16,421,721	68,937,931	115,012,241	85,919,527	135,122,192
<i>South America.</i>									
Brazil . . . . .	March . . . . .	8,650,799	944,254	7,877,189	938,486	41,285,122	9,441,443	46,738,583	8,305,220
All other . . . . .	" . . . . .	2,454,550	1,604,693	3,658,563	2,485,959	20,397,914	16,693,242	26,798,066	20,618,711
Totals . . . . .	" . . . . .	11,105,349	2,548,947	11,536,152	3,424,445	64,683,036	26,134,685	73,536,649	28,923,931
<i>Asia, Africa and Oceania.</i>									
Africa . . . . .	March . . . . .	1,266,654	1,506,173	1,099,264	1,792,254	6,139,318	13,851,523	8,169,165	14,055,126
East Indies . . . . .	" . . . . .	5,938,888	432,207	6,610,208	711,907	37,920,054	3,832,171	57,236,997	4,650,292
Oceania . . . . .	" . . . . .	2,561,800	2,809,905	4,218,255	3,984,683	17,085,694	21,288,844	23,588,108	32,580,910
All other (Asia) . . . . .	" . . . . .	5,252,784	3,764,238	5,664,060	8,608,109	41,166,052	29,970,037	54,685,423	45,436,196
Totals . . . . .	" . . . . .	15,020,126	8,512,523	17,591,787	15,096,953	102,311,118	68,942,575	143,679,693	96,722,524
Grand totals . . . . .	" . . . . .	72,826,066	104,466,327	86,498,920	134,301,829	500,027,899	947,899,593	641,568,491	1,053,820,680

# UNITED STATES.

T.—STATEMENT of the Imports and Exports of the United States from and to the British Empire and (Totals), FOREIGN COUNTRIES in the latest Month for which Returns have been received, with Aggregate for the period from July 1 preceding, including such latest Month. (*From United States Returns.*)

NAME OF COUNTRY.	LATEST MONTH.	VALUE FOR THE MONTH.				AGGREGATE FOR THE PERIOD OF THE YEAR, INCLUDING LATEST MONTH.			
		1899.		1900.		1899.		1900.	
		Imports.	Exports.	Imports.	Exports.	Imports.	Exports.	Imports.	Exports.
<i>British Empire.</i>		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Great Britain.....	March.....	11,321,573	43,093,253	14,787,989	50,085,791	87,592,531	401,825,236	122,149,584	406,047,092
Bermuda.....	".....	60,592	108,588	23,091	107,498	113,932	773,272	135,694	870,103
British Africa.....	".....	206,686	1,143,458	15,265	1,340,411	1,000,262	11,343,756	439,066	11,642,691
" Australasia.....	".....	297,662	1,881,176	873,351	1,991,767	2,372,597	14,406,541	3,373,560	19,991,170
" East Indies.....	".....	3,161,958	330,734	6,277,888	634,773	19,872,337	3,175,930	31,893,469	3,759,642
" Guiana.....	".....	249,269	100,455	383,934	183,849	3,345,899	1,313,322	3,312,987	1,330,966
" Honduras.....	".....	25,911	49,462	9,289	74,045	138,008	375,873	149,625	478,214
" West Indies.....	".....	1,354,964	852,249	881,924	691,584	7,374,312	6,452,069	6,627,040	6,775,973
Canada.....	".....	1,910,874	6,169,175	2,394,311	7,704,099	22,905,154	65,523,982	29,076,544	68,232,214
Gibraltar.....	".....	109	39,240	7,032	64,670	8,920	501,392	25,944	368,790
Hong Kong.....	".....	493,152	637,687	86,811	965,200	1,840,444	5,369,759	930,771	6,101,442
Newfoundland and Labrador.....	".....	8,094	160,290	14,339	188,738	337,511	1,129,851	496,388	1,548,260
All other.....	".....	521,770	132,674	522,214	181,435	1,915,288	749,465	2,657,123	1,339,139
Totals.....	".....	19,612,614	54,698,441	26,277,438	64,213,940	148,847,195	512,940,448	201,267,795	528,485,696
Totals, Foreign Countries.....	".....	53,213,452	49,767,886	60,221,482	70,087,889	351,180,704	434,959,145	440,300,696	525,334,984
Grand totals.....	".....	72,826,066	104,466,327	86,498,920	134,301,829	500,027,899	947,899,593	641,568,491	1,053,820,680

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ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.						VALUES.					
	Month of March.			Nine months ended March 31.			Month of March.			Nine months ended March 31.		
	1898.	1899.	1900.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1898.	1899.	1900.
Animals—							\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Horses, <i>free</i> ..... No.	81	54	57	512	452	461	6,990	3,503	3,473	45,515	38,078	42,497
" <i>dutiable</i> ... .. "	255	164	142	1,522	1,109	1,180	23,120	19,726	18,113	172,527	142,880	160,296
Art work, <i>free</i> .....										36,038	109	70,505
" <i>dutiable</i> .....							600	105	4	5,096	35,287	20,174
Books, &c., <i>free</i> ....							3,300	2,123	2,165	24,426	21,946	24,901
" <i>dutiable</i> .....							2,716	3,565	2,437	19,890	19,613	26,817
Cement—Roman, Portland, <i>dutiable</i> ... Lbs.				1,304,249	1,043,120	897,790				6,207	4,729	5,111
Coal, bituminous, <i>dutiable</i> . Tons.	82,362	72,757	124,589	521,199	598,449	987,736	266,096	257,325	330,957	1,619,124	1,949,061	2,681,318
Fibres, vegetable, &c., and manufactures of— Flax, <i>free and dutiable</i> .. "	40	70	209	488	425	1,048	5,680	9,642	40,968	60,903	60,402	165,526
Fruits—												
Bananas, <i>free</i> .....							5,450	21,271	4,954	57,956	65,812	153,505
Lemons, <i>dutiable</i> .....							2,093			3,963	2,706	3,200
Furs, skins, &c., <i>free</i> ....							20,575	34,073	56,415	202,213	291,458	418,506
Hides and skins, other than fur, <i>free and dutiable</i> .... Lbs.	967,629	1,289,346	1,378,081	10,537,298	10,016,498	11,240,838	81,836	109,227	119,040	809,184	846,829	1,049,649



Iron and steel and manu- factures of— Tin plates, <i>dutiable</i> . . . . Lbs.	101,285	2,613	1,184	397,925	68,834	145,244	2,917	161	85	11,290	3,470	6,205
Jewellery, and other preci- ous stones, &c., <i>dutiable</i> . . . .							181	2,602	229	91,789	4,792	4,685
Lead and manufactures of— Pigs, bars, &c., <i>dutiable</i> . Lbs.	3,744,036	3,042,186	2,013,342	37,411,122	26,046,880	7,781,041	79,584	82,641	45,189	816,953	656,259	193,814
Paper stock, crude ( <i>see also</i> Wood pulp), <i>free</i> . . . . .							9,533	2,943	7,151	189,877	50,656	78,884
Provisions— Cheese, <i>dutiable</i> . . . . . Lbs.	1,097	2,386	592	13,109	28,183	37,962	185	366	133	1,978	6,113	5,293
Spices, nutmegs, peppers, <i>free</i> . . . . . "				2,500	160	546				162	29	162
Spirits, distilled— Spirits (not of domestic manufacture). <i>duti-</i> <i>able</i> . . . . . Proof galls.	9,831	11,531	15,831	68,444	103,736	135,468	19,191	21,871	30,553	123,250	204,310	264,479
Sugar, molasses, &c.— Sugar, not above No. 16 Dutch standard, <i>free</i> and <i>dutiable</i> . . . . . Lbs.	626,126			935,808	27,803	3,269	33,390			44,699	1,260	366
Tea, <i>free and dutiable</i> . . . . . "	151,722	203,818	79,795	590,847	799,970	1,130,737	18,414	29,871	13,844	89,192	126,102	185,501
Tobacco and manufactures of— Leaf, <i>dutiable</i> . . . . . Lbs.	42,576	12,150	10,892	229,067	471,921	294,858	21,191	9,074	8,902	153,858	408,329	227,203
Wood and manufactures of— Boards, planks, &c., <i>free</i> and <i>dutiable</i> . . . . . M. ft.	18,372	19,314	23,600	249,659	251,241	517,238	183,631	189,292	283,619	2,510,193	2,495,489	5,871,399
Wood pulp, <i>dutiable</i> . . . Tons.	1,822	2,783	5,703	16,088	22,939	48,024	25,652	46,061	156,503	231,938	346,082	1,108,219
Wool— Class No. 2, <i>free and duti-</i> <i>able</i> . . . . . Lbs.	669	11,650	166,749	969,473	18,041	1,571,235	241	1,856	36,834	177,492	3,662	302,801
" 3 " " . . . . .	650			29,988			52			1,756		
All other goods imported . . . .							1,087,108	1,071,670	1,232,743	16,606,964	15,457,202	16,005,528
Totals, Imports. . . . .							1,899,726	1,918,968	2,394,311	24,114,433	23,242,665	29,076,514

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ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES.						VALUES.					
	Month of March.			Nine months ended March 31.			Month of March.			Nine months ended March 31.		
	1898.	1899.	1900.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1898.	1899.	1900.
							\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Agricultural implements..							100,570	141,871	211,962	459,935	842,449	1,295,357
Animals—												
Cattle..... No.	32	101	209	12,645	2,532	1,148	1,075	4,765	6,554	889,666	180,016	58,793
Hogs..... "	555	174	142	3,787	860	571	3,500	888	988	23,528	4,872	3,754
Horses..... "	922	1,044	1,252	5,847	6,550	5,493	45,716	61,494	82,980	517,234	443,883	575,740
Sheep..... "	3,101	1,671	765	35,720	26,012	35,507	5,793	4,139	1,900	74,394	52,197	77,150
Books, maps, engravings, &c.							53,423	65,640	83,146	541,778	638,541	747,508
Breadstuffs—												
Corn..... Bush.	678,052	664,881	484,211	10,760,727	13,804,962	7,691,385	220,507	257,107	198,985	3,286,886	4,885,128	2,780,077
Wheat..... "	780	1,892	860	4,047,067	6,705,481	1,497,348	456	1,160	543	3,886,594	4,921,374	1,039,481
Wheat flour.. Brls.	4,396	13,582	7,177	394,831	649,858	158,303	16,890	48,854	21,553	1,797,672	3,036,894	567,273
Carriages, cars and parts of							21,783	55,133	23,783	131,006	239,293	375,468
Clocks and watches							34,677	43,002	37,620	214,457	310,192	317,172
Coals..... Tons.	185,874	247,763	501,509	2,395,257	2,641,199	4,094,200	463,969	632,856	1,225,528	7,261,088	7,597,635	11,470,286
Copper and manufactures of—												
Ingots, bars and old.... Lbs.	121,546	130,917	120,497	730,736	969,070	772,433	13,672	18,987	19,766	78,930	119,517	132,211
Cottons and manufactures of—												
Cotton, unmanufact'd { Bales	6,184	6,446	6,962	110,748	87,817	98,031	187,820	204,434	311,484	3,611,983	2,674,136	3,666,959
" coloured & uncol'd. Yds.	3,106,561	3,236,617	3,483,780	55,578,974	43,953,591	49,136,813	69,365	105,957	60,809	532,024	688,321	356,463
Other manufactures..	1,176,617	2,948,884	1,123,510	9,239,082	14,595,118	6,642,097	177,856	288,654	242,395	1,199,882	1,382,572	1,604,736
Cycles and parts of.....							76,921	96,389	75,861	265,155	338,412	205,308
Fertilizers..... Tons.	1,149	1,269	924	3,167	3,776	5,287	24,214	27,157	20,460	70,133	75,389	109,852
Fruits and nuts							112,838	75,556	75,471	805,110	797,246	1,021,145
Furs and fur skins							65,329	111,534	99,199	331,751	345,761	449,453
Hides & skins other than fur Lbs.	234,659	173,949	141,164	4,413,593	3,385,432	2,417,152	21,418	17,235	15,229	394,116	308,780	284,900
Hops..... "	22,634	14,215	46,875	237,688	434,827	592,508	2,827	2,196	6,021	29,708	57,149	82,122
Instruments and apparatus for scientific purposes, including telegraph, telephone and other electric.....							21,086	44,664	12,913	233,664	302,701	224,184
Iron and steel and manufactures of—												
Builders' hardware and saws and tools.....							79,190	96,798	83,021	493,022	627,159	588,495

Machinery, viz.—							20,292	17,113	8,170	101,857	107,573	145,617
Sewing machines and parts of												
Typewriting machines and parts of							4,021	6,352	4,412	36,541	42,025	38,424
Steel bars or rails for railways..... Tons	3,521	187	1,495	53,868	74,115	76,330	64,304	3,533	50,879	982,790	1,362,199	1,722,326
Leather and manufactures of—												
Boots and shoes							26,040	39,189	54,326	201,372	290,431	328,445
Sole leather..... Lbs.	23,030	103,670	61,510	838,659	606,755	779,164	4,115	17,929	10,933	163,092	112,994	154,164
Other ".....							70,797	63,434	53,094	503,182	500,823	591,309
Naval stores—												
Rosin, tar and pitch.... Bils.	2,781	6,202	7,120	30,865	37,511	46,627	5,712	13,499	15,376	69,021	85,135	99,562
Turpentine, spirits of... Galls.	53,327	78,626	54,961	408,218	435,595	508,380	15,893	32,169	29,400	127,447	146,160	247,979
Oil cake and oil cake meal Lbs.	214,807	279,000	262,380	998,531	5,584,346	2,318,498	2,463	2,967	3,129	11,085	46,774	27,064
Oils—Mineral, crude..... Galls.			100		20,270	7,008			15		1,408	395
" refined..... "	586,429	825,400	600,465	9,467,988	9,272,064	10,888,728	40,317	56,951	55,613	620,460	629,549	839,157
Cotton-seed..... "	29,626	30,502	5,007	306,731	350,426	290,446	6,856	8,076	1,757	75,897	79,309	84,180
Paraffine and paraffine wax Lbs.	10,665	18,100	2,671	59,071	53,116	37,077	461	722	139	2,617	2,180	1,727
Provisions—												
Meat products—												
Beef products—												
Beef, canned..... Lbs.	24,194	104,164	3,466	406,400	1,502,679	474,861	1,938	7,763	312	30,177	129,500	40,642
" fresh..... "	96,835	425	4,170	100,873	478,398	8,773	6,297	36	271	6,557	38,687	650
" salted or pickled, and other, cured Lbs.	377,509	524,350	262,762	2,551,384	2,781,675	3,035,832	19,977	25,685	14,063	113,954	136,966	153,800
Tallow..... "	43,387	740	15,055	159,762	502,474	101,261	1,105	32	597	4,646	13,354	4,033
Hog products—												
Bacon..... "	611,841	290,637	159,498	12,747,657	9,048,909	2,035,291	44,304	18,543	12,457	766,336	551,842	165,543
Ham..... "	134,620	185,597	44,128	3,271,109	5,531,739	1,585,649	11,154	15,904	4,572	294,624	474,451	156,933
Pork, fresh & pickled "	581,011	711,276	639,576	11,359,784	14,185,821	9,281,518	30,864	36,488	36,870	591,188	792,203	506,962
Lard..... "	120,404	32,030	74,369	2,716,546	6,863,847	593,260	6,925	2,174	5,602	136,769	364,606	39,955
Oléo and oleomargarine. "	73,297	23,000	143,748	716,413	660,569	608,703	4,500	1,500	9,500	43,860	38,770	45,528
Dairy products—Butter. "	94,769	258,885	156,019	3,082,309	1,758,131	1,146,679	21,876	40,344	34,146	462,626	284,500	207,064
Cheese. "	5,260	3,365	8,520	10,281,976	10,166,759	1,091,641	601	400	1,081	865,999	786,588	106,382
Seeds.....							130,817	105,595	136,485	389,029	1,295,418	1,098,177
Sugar, refined..... Lbs.	3,885	565,642	659,567	45,713	993,832	11,734,549	249	17,752	32,566	2,912	38,651	548,240
Tobacco and manufactures of—												
Leaf, stems and trimmings "	1,219,455	1,371,892	1,463,793	5,586,783	7,967,414	8,242,562	102,136	134,642	141,484	540,006	800,880	780,224
Cigars, cigarettes, &c.....							6,738	11,273	17,383	45,250	55,407	80,046
Wood and manufactures of—												
Timber and unmanuf'd wood							46,613	20,394	26,326	708,613	649,551	689,079
Lumber—Boards, planks, deals, joists, &c..... M.ft.	5,813	7,529	7,571	52,800	67,094	67,293	82,653	101,458	142,007	724,559	946,372	1,190,168
Manufactures of wood—												
Furniture, N.E.S.....							36,679	27,638	26,791	363,828	316,656	286,474
All other goods exported, including Foreign Produce.....							2,877,701	3,093,440	3,856,172	22,456,464	24,663,254	29,755,088
Totals, Exports.....							5,515,293	6,329,465	7,704,099	58,572,477	66,653,833	68,232,214

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Hogs..... "	555	174	142	3,787	860	571	3,500	888	988	23,528	4,872	3,754
Horses..... "	922	1,044	1,252	5,847	6,550	5,493	45,716	61,494	82,980	517,234	413,883	575,740
Sheep..... "	3,101	1,671	765	35,720	26,012	35,507	5,793	4,139	1,900	74,394	52,197	77,150
Books, maps, engravings, &c....							53,423	65,640	83,146	541,778	638,541	747,508
Breadstuffs—												
Corn..... Bush.	678,052	664,881	484,211	10,760,727	13,804,962	7,691,385	220,507	257,107	198,985	3,286,886	4,885,128	2,780,077
Wheat..... "	780	1,892	860	4,047,067	6,705,481	1,497,348	456	1,160	543	3,886,594	4,921,374	1,039,481
Wheat flour..... Brls.	4,396	13,582	7,177	394,831	649,858	158,303	16,890	48,854	21,553	1,797,672	3,036,894	567,273
Carriages, cars and parts of.....							21,783	55,133	23,783	131,006	239,293	378,468
Clocks and watches.....							34,677	43,002	37,620	214,457	310,192	317,172
Coals..... Tons.	185,874	247,763	501,509	2,295,257	2,641,199	4,094,200	463,969	632,856	1,225,528	7,261,088	7,597,635	11,470,286
Copper and manufactures of—												
Ingots, bars and old..... Lbs.	121,546	130,917	120,497	730,736	969,070	772,433	13,672	18,987	19,766	78,930	119,517	132,211
Cottons and manufactures of—												
Cotton, unmanufact'd..... Bales	6,184	6,446	6,962	110,748	87,817	98,031	187,820	204,434	311,484	3,611,983	2,674,136	3,666,959
" coloured & uncol'd..... Yds.	3,106,561	3,236,617	3,483,780	55,578,974	43,953,591	49,136,813	69,365	105,957	60,809	532,024	688,321	356,463
Other manufactures.....	1,176,617	2,948,884	1,123,510	9,239,082	14,595,118	6,642,097	177,856	288,654	242,395	1,199,882	1,382,572	1,604,736
Cycles and parts of.....							76,921	96,389	75,861	265,155	338,412	205,308
Fertilizers..... Tons.	1,149	1,269	924	3,167	3,776	5,287	24,214	27,157	20,460	70,133	75,389	109,852
Fruits and nuts.....							112,838	75,556	73,471	805,110	797,246	1,021,145
Furs and fur skins.....							65,329	111,534	99,199	331,751	345,761	449,453
Hides & skins other than fur..... Lbs.	234,659	173,949	141,164	4,413,593	3,385,432	2,417,152	21,418	17,235	15,229	394,116	308,780	284,900
Hops..... "	22,634	14,215	46,875	237,688	434,827	592,508	2,827	2,196	6,021	29,708	57,149	82,122
Instruments and apparatus for scientific purposes, including telegraph, telephone and other electric.....							21,086	44,664	12,913	233,664	302,701	224,184
Iron and steel and manuf' of—												
Builders' hardware and saws and tools.....							79,190	96,798	83,021	493,022	627,159	588,495

Machinery, viz.—														
Sewing machines and parts of							20,292	17,113	8,170	101,857	107,573	145,617		
Typewriting machines and parts of.....							4,021	6,352	4,412	36,541	42,025	38,424		
Steel bars or rails for railways..... Tons	3,521	187	1,495	53,868	74,115	76,330	64,304	3,533	50,879	982,790	1,362,199	1,722,326		
Leather and manufactures of—														
Boots and shoes.....							26,040	39,189	54,326	201,372	290,431	328,445		
Sole leather..... Lbs.	23,030	103,670	61,510	838,659	606,755	779,164	4,115	17,929	10,933	163,092	112,994	154,164		
Other ".....							70,797	63,434	53,094	503,182	500,823	591,309		
Naval stores—														
Rosin, tar and pitch.... Bls.	2,781	6,202	7,120	30,865	37,511	46,627	5,712	13,499	15,376	69,021	85,135	99,562		
Turpentine, spirits of... Galls.	53,327	78,626	54,961	408,218	435,595	508,380	15,893	32,169	29,400	127,447	146,160	247,979		
Oil cake and oil cake meal Lbs.	214,807	279,000	262,380	998,531	5,584,346	2,318,498	2,463	2,967	3,129	11,085	46,774	27,064		
Oils—Mineral, crude..... Galls.			100		20,270	7,008			15		1,408	395		
" refined..... "	586,429	825,400	600,465	9,467,988	9,272,064	10,388,728	40,317	56,951	55,613	620,460	629,549	839,117		
Cotton-seed..... "	29,626	30,502	5,007	306,731	350,426	290,446	6,856	8,076	1,757	75,897	79,309	84,180		
Paraffine and paraffine wax Lbs.	10,665	18,100	2,671	59,071	53,116	37,077	461	722	139	2,617	2,180	1,727		
Provisions—														
Meat products—														
Beef products—														
Beef, canned..... Lbs.	24,194	104,164	3,466	406,400	1,502,679	474,861	1,938	7,763	312	30,177	129,500	40,642		
" fresh..... "	96,835	425	4,170	100,873	478,398	8,773	6,297	36	271	6,557	38,687	650		
" salted or pickled, and other, cured Lbs.	377,509	524,350	262,762	2,551,384	2,781,675	3,035,832	19,977	25,685	14,063	113,954	136,966	153,800		
Tallow..... "	43,387	740	15,055	159,762	502,474	101,261	1,105	32	597	4,646	13,354	4,033		
Hog products—														
Bacon..... "	611,841	290,637	159,498	12,747,657	9,048,909	2,035,291	44,304	18,543	12,457	766,336	551,842	165,543		
Ham..... "	134,620	185,597	44,128	3,271,109	5,531,739	1,585,649	11,154	15,904	4,572	294,624	474,451	156,933		
Pork, fresh & pickled "	581,011	711,276	639,576	11,359,784	14,185,821	9,281,518	30,864	36,488	36,870	591,188	792,203	506,962		
Lard..... "	120,404	32,030	74,369	2,716,546	6,863,847	593,260	6,925	2,174	5,602	136,769	364,606	39,955		
Oléo and oleomargarine. "	73,297	23,000	143,748	716,413	660,569	608,703	4,500	1,500	9,500	43,860	38,770	45,528		
Dairy products—Butter. "	94,769	258,885	156,019	3,082,309	1,758,131	1,146,679	21,876	40,344	31,146	462,626	284,500	207,064		
Cheese. "	5,260	3,365	8,520	10,281,976	10,166,759	1,091,641	601	400	1,081	865,999	786,588	106,382		
Seeds.....							130,817	105,595	136,485	389,029	1,295,418	1,098,177		
Sugar, refined..... Lbs.	3,885	565,642	659,567	45,713	993,832	11,734,549	249	17,752	32,566	2,912	38,651	548,240		
Tobacco and manufactures of—														
Leaf, stems and trimmings "	1,219,455	1,371,892	1,463,793	5,586,783	7,967,414	8,242,562	102,136	134,642	141,484	540,006	800,880	780,224		
Cigars, cigarettes, &c.....							6,738	11,273	17,383	45,250	55,407	80,046		
Wood and manufactures of—														
Timber and unmanuf'd wood..							46,613	20,394	26,326	708,613	649,551	689,079		
Lumber—Boards, planks, deals, joists, &c..... M.ft.	5,813	7,529	7,571	52,800	67,094	67,293	82,653	101,458	142,007	724,559	946,372	1,190,168		
Manufactures of wood—														
Furniture, N.E.S.....							36,679	27,638	26,791	363,828	316,656	286,474		
All other goods exported, including Foreign Produce.....							2,877,701	3,093,440	3,856,172	22,456,464	24,663,254	29,755,088		
Totals, Exports.....							5,515,293	6,329,465	7,704,099	58,572,477	66,653,833	68,232,214		

## AUSTRIA-HUNGARY.

W.—STATEMENT, by Classes, showing the Values of Trade (Special) of Austria-Hungary, for the *two months* ended February 28, 1898 to 1900.

NOTE.—Krone = 20·3 cents or 5 kronen = about \$1.00.

Classification of Articles.	TWO MONTHS ENDED FEBRUARY 28.		
	1898.	1899.	1900.
	Kronen.	Kronen.	Kronen.
IMPORTS :—			
Raw materials .....	158,719,000	149,904,000	167,951,000
Articles, partly manufactured. ....	32,028,000	33,152,000	34,392,000
" wholly " .....	68,151,000	72,685,000	73,979,000
Totals (exclusive coin and bullion). ....	258,898,000	255,741,000	276,322,000
Coin and bullion .....	6,714,000	3,820,000	7,431,000
Totals, imports. ....	265,612,000	259,561,000	283,753,000
EXPORTS :—			
Raw materials .....	89,862,000	109,507,000	110,624,000
Articles, partly manufactured. ....	34,332,000	38,605,000	37,572,000
" wholly " .....	92,539,000	113,201,000	112,834,000
Totals (exclusive of coin and bullion). ....	216,733,000	261,313,000	261,030,000
Coin and bullion .....	5,291,000	9,551,000	5,846,000
Totals, exports. ....	222,024,000	270,864,000	266,876,000
AGGREGATE TRADE :—			
Merchandise—Imports. ....	258,898,000	255,741,000	276,322,000
Exports. ....	216,733,000	261,313,000	261,030,000
Totals. ....	475,631,000	517,054,000	537,352,000
Coin and Bullion—Imports. ....	6,714,000	3,820,000	7,431,000
Exports. ....	5,291,000	9,551,000	5,846,000
Totals. ....	12,005,000	13,371,000	13,277,000
Totals—Imports. ....	265,612,000	259,561,000	283,753,000
Exports .....	222,024,000	270,864,000	266,876,000
Grand totals. ....	487,636,000	530,425,000	550,629,000

NOTE.—“Special” means, in the case of Imports, “Imports for Home Consumption,” in the case of Exports, “Exports for Domestic Produce and Manufacture.”

## BRITISH INDIA.

X.—STATEMENT, by Classes, showing the Values of the Trade of British India for the *ten months ended January 31, 1898 to 1900.*

NOTE :—Rx = 10 Rupees. The average value of the Rupee for 1896-7 was about 23·4 cents ; 1897-8, 21·3 cents and for 1898-9, 19·9 cents, or Rx = about 82.

Classification of Articles.	TEN MONTHS ENDED JANUARY 31.		
	1898.	1899.	1900.
	Rx	Rx.	Rx.
IMPORTS :—			
Animals, living. ....	226,100	275,300	275,000
Articles of food and drink .....	8,819,900	7,402,900	7,600,400
Metals and manufactures of.....	11,199,400	10,111,800	9,667,500
Chemicals, drugs, medicines and narcotics, dyeing and tanning materials. ....	1,719,900	1,656,300	1,605,800
Oils. ....	3,237,600	2,743,800	2,557,100
Raw materials and unmanufactured articles.....	2,422,400	2,433,600	3,199,100
Articles manufactured and partly manufactured. ....	29,259,800	31,209,600	34,642,200
Totals, imports.....	56,885,100	55,833,300	59,547,100
EXPORTS :—			
Animals, living .....	102,300	130,200	161,800
Articles of food and drink .....	18,488,800	31,197,600	25,356,800
Metals and manufactures of.....	121,100	110,200	172,400
Chemicals, drugs, medicines and narcotics, dyeing and tanning materials. ....	8,120,400	9,001,200	9,834,600
Oils. ....	515,900	656,800	677,000
Raw materials and unmanufactured articles.....	30,119,200	31,751,700	33,745,200
Articles manufactured and partly manufactured.....	17,164,700	15,884,600	17,531,000
Totals, exports.....	74,632,400	88,732,300	87,478,800
AGGREGATE TRADE :—			
Imports.....	56,885,100	55,833,300	59,547,100
Exports.....	74,632,400	88,732,300	87,478,800
Grand totals .....	131,517,500	144,565,600	147,025,900

## FRANCE.

Y.—STATEMENT, by Classes, showing the Values of the Trade (special) of France for the *three months ended March 31, 1898 to 1900.*

Note:—France=19·3 cents or 5 francs=about \$1.00.

Classification of Articles.	THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31.		
	1898.	1899.	1900.
	Francs.	Francs.	Francs.
<b>IMPORTS :—</b>			
Articles of food.....	339,253,000	254,787,000	213,956,000
Raw materials for manufacture.....	632,343,000	707,743,000	730,358,000
Manufactured articles.....	157,343,000	160,661,000	194,723,000
Totals, excluding coin and bullion.....	1,148,939,000	1,123,191,000	1,139,037,000
Coin and bullion.....	100,397,000	121,042,000	113,343,000
Grand totals, imports.....	1,249,336,000	1,244,233,000	1,252,380,000
<b>EXPORTS :—</b>			
Articles of food.....	133,239,000	119,612,000	163,064,000
Raw materials for manufacture.....	214,615,000	229,409,000	254,568,000
Manufactured articles.....	403,334,000	407,381,000	419,546,000
Parcel post.....	39,737,000	46,578,000	60,521,000
Totals, excluding coin and bullion.....	790,925,000	802,980,000	897,699,000
Coin and bullion.....	50,272,000	77,468,000	71,745,000
Grand totals, exports.....	841,197,000	880,448,000	969,444,000
<b>AGGREGATE TRADE :—</b>			
Merchandise—Imports.....	1,148,939,000	1,123,191,000	1,139,037,000
Exports.....	790,925,000	802,980,000	897,699,000
Totals.....	1,939,864,000	1,926,171,000	2,036,736,000
Coin and Bullion—Imports.....	100,397,000	121,042,000	113,343,000
Exports.....	50,272,000	77,468,000	71,745,000
Totals.....	150,669,000	198,510,000	185,088,000
Totals—Imports.....	1,249,336,000	1,244,233,000	1,252,380,000
Exports.....	841,197,000	880,448,000	969,444,000
Grand totals.....	2,090,533,000	2,124,681,000	2,221,824,000

Note—'Special' means, in the case of imports, 'Imports for home consumption'; in the case of exports 'Exports of domestic produce and manufacture.'



## ITALY.

Z.—STATEMENT, by Classes, showing the Values of the Trade (Special) of Italy for the *three months* ended March 31, 1899 and 1900.

NOTE :—Lira=19·3 cent or 5 Lire=about \$1.00.

Classification of Articles.	THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31.	
	1899.	1900.
	Lire.	Lire.
IMPORTS—		
Animals living, food products, drinks and narcotics (including oils).....	89,307,573	98,669,549
Cotton, silk and wool.....	110,448,113	99,938,030
Drugs, dyes, chemicals and medicines.....	25,460,294	28,631,001
Hides and skins.....	16,641,780	15,195,702
Metals and minerals and manufactures of.....	52,280,715	62,230,655
Stone, earthenware, glassware, etc.....	46,807,255	46,777,802
Other articles, N.E.S.....	31,196,876	29,346,927
Totals.....	372,142,666	380,789,666
Coin and bullion.....	384,400	1,312,100
Totals, imports.....	372,527,066	382,101,766
EXPORTS—		
Animals living, food products, drinks and narcotics (including oils).....	107,366,812	103,575,054
Cotton, silk and wool.....	126,496,803	148,761,333
Drugs, dyes, chemicals and medicines.....	13,974,922	13,376,890
Hides and skins.....	7,481,853	8,298,494
Metals and minerals and manufactures of.....	11,281,706	9,475,277
Stone, earthenware, glassware, etc.....	21,331,777	21,883,877
Other articles, N.E.S.....	39,478,639	45,758,274
Totals.....	327,412,512	351,129,199
Coin and bullion.....	2,365,700	3,390,000
Totals, exports.....	329,778,212	354,519,199
AGGREGATE TRADE—		
Merchandise—Imports.....	372,142,666	380,789,666
Exports.....	327,412,512	351,129,199
Totals.....	699,555,118	731,918,865
Coin and Bullion—Imports.....	384,400	1,312,100
Exports.....	2,365,700	3,390,000
Totals.....	2,750,100	4,702,100
Totals—Imports.....	372,527,066	382,101,766
Exports.....	329,778,212	354,519,199
Grand totals.....	702,305,218	736,620,965

NOTE :— 'Special' means in the case of Imports, 'Imports for Home Consumption,' in the case Exports, 'Exports of Domestic Produce and Manufacture.'

## PORTUGAL.

AA.—STATEMENT, by Classes, showing the Values of the Trade of Portugal for *nine months* ended September 30, 1897 to 1899.

NOTE.—Milreis=\$1.08.

Classification of Articles.	NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30.		
	1897.	1898.	1899.
	Milreis.	Milreis.	Milreis.
<b>IMPORTS—</b>			
Animals, living.....	1,929,000	2,285,000	1,448,000
Raw materials.....	11,434,000	15,078,000	16,514,000
Yarns, tissues and manufactures thereof.....	3,718,000	4,267,000	4,787,000
Food products.....	11,052,000	10,778,000	10,573,000
Machinery, instruments and parts thereof, including also arms, ships and carriages.....	1,464,000	2,119,000	2,388,000
All other articles, N.E.S.....	2,218,000	2,564,000	2,590,000
Totals, imports.....	31,815,000	37,091,000	38,300,000
<b>EXPORTS—</b>			
Animals, living.....	2,678,000	2,655,000	2,214,000
Raw materials.....	4,092,000	3,878,000	3,741,000
Yarns, tissues and manufactures thereof.....	1,144,000	1,805,000	1,996,000
Food products.....	11,382,000	12,855,000	12,030,000
Machinery, instruments and parts thereof, including also arms, ships and carriages.....	57,000	72,000	97,000
All other articles, N.E.S.....	1,228,000	1,281,000	1,451,000
Totals, exports.....	20,581,000	22,546,000	21,529,000
<b>AGGREGATE TRADE—</b>			
Imports.....	31,815,000	37,091,000	38,300,000
Exports.....	20,581,000	22,546,000	21,529,000
Grand totals.....	52,396,000	59,637,000	59,829,000

## SPAIN.

BB.—STATEMENT, by Classes, showing the Values of the Trade (Principal Articles only) of Spain for the *three months* ended March 31, 1898, 1899 and 1900.

NOTE:—Peseta=19 3 cents or 5 Pesetas= about \$1.00.

Classification of Articles.	THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31.		
	1898.	1899.	1900.
	Pesetas.	Pesetas.	Pesetas.
IMPORTS :—(Principal Articles.)			
Articles of food.....	28,788,000	39,796,000	37,755,000
Raw materials for manufacture.....	87,581,000	104,424,000	89,923,000
Manufactured articles .....	45,584,000	62,984,000	75,705,000
Totals (excluding coin and bullion).....	161,953,000	207,204,000	203,383,000
Coin and bullion.....	26,676,000	30,125,000	1,783,000
Grand totals, imports. ....	188,629,000	237,329,000	205,166,000
EXPORTS :—(Principal Articles.)			
Articles of food.....	94,583,000	60,242,000	72,642,000
Raw materials for manufacture.....	71,754,000	68,470,000	66,092,000
Manufactured articles.....	41,598,000	30,132,000	35,805,000
Totals, (excluding coin and bullion).....	207,935,000	158,844,000	174,539,000
Coin and bullion.....	2,427,000	4,019,000	4,577,000
Grand totals, exports. ....	210,362,000	162,863,000	179,116,000
AGGREGATE TRADE :—(Principal Articles.)			
Merchandise—			
Imports.....	161,953,000	207,204,000	203,383,000
Exports.....	207,935,000	158,844,000	174,539,000
Totals .....	369,888,000	366,048,000	377,922,000
Coin and Bullion—			
Imports.....	26,676,000	30,125,000	1,783,000
Exports.....	2,427,000	4,019,000	4,577,000
Totals .....	29,103,000	34,144,000	6,360,000
Totals—			
Imports.....	188,629,000	237,329,000	205,166,000
Exports.....	210,362,000	162,863,000	179,116,000
Grand totals .....	398,991,000	400,192,000	384,282,000

C.C.—UNREVISED STATEMENT showing the Values of the Merchandise Imported into and Exported from the Undermentioned Countries for which Returns have been received.

Countries.	Period of Year Ended.	IMPORTS.		
		1898.	1899.	1900.
		\$	\$	\$
Canada (special) . . . . . (10 mos)	April	101,572,853	121,126,352	143,303,759
Great Britain . . . . . (10 mos)	"	1,876,487,850	1,909,549,511	2,035,113,662
United States . . . . . (9 mos)	March	455,253,362	500,027,899	641,568,491
Austria-Hungary (special) . . . . . (2 mos)	February	52,556,294	51,915,423	56,093,366
Belgium (principal articles) . . . . . (3 mos)	March	86,316,741	95,419,007	98,398,541
British India . . . . . (10 mos)	January	113,770,200	111,666,600	119,094,200
France (special) . . . . . (3 mos)	March	221,745,227	216,775,863	219,834,141
Italy (special) . . . . . (3 mos)	"	.....	71,823,599	73,490,670
Portugal . . . . . (9 mos)	*September	34,360,200	40,058,280	41,364,000
Spain (principal articles) . . . . . (3 mos)	March	31,256,929	39,930,372	39,252,919

## EXPORTS.

Canada (special) . . . . . (10 mos)	April	130,090,077	126,068,833	140,213,460
Great Britain . . . . . (10 mos)	"	1,172,281,298	1,232,486,315	1,397,121,870
United States . . . . . (9 mos)	March	925,905,356	947,899,593	1,053,820,680
Austria-Hungary . . . . . (2 mos)	February	43,946,799	53,046,539	52,989,090
Belgium (principal articles) . . . . . (3 mos)	March	74,293,420	77,158,312	79,721,738
British India . . . . . (10 mos)	January	149,264,800	177,464,600	174,957,600
France (special) . . . . . (3 mos)	March	152,648,525	154,975,140	173,253,907
Italy (special) . . . . . (3 mos)	"	.....	63,190,609	67,768,090
Portugal . . . . . (9 mos)	*September	22,227,480	24,349,680	23,251,320
Spain (principal articles) . . . . . (3 mos)	March	40,131,455	30,656,892	33,686,027

NOTE:—‘Special’ means in the case of Imports, ‘Imports for Home Consumption,’ in case of Exports, ‘Exports for Domestic Produce and Manufacture.’

\* Figures are for the years 1897, 1898 and 1899.

## II.—NEW TARIFFS.

During the quarter under review there has been distributed from this department to all the principal Custom-houses and Boards of Trade throughout the Dominion, copies of all foreign and colonial tariffs and supplements thereto, as furnished during that period by the International Customs Tariff Bureau, which are always available for reference by those interested therein, resident at the principal centres of trade. The following British and Colonial are supplemental to those published in the departmental Annual Report, 1893, and the quarterly and monthly reports since published, and comprise all additions thereto or changes therein, so far as the department has authentic advice.

### (A.)—BARBADOS.

#### THE CUSTOMS TARIFF ACT, 1899.

(No. 16 of 1899.)

#### *An Act to fix a Tariff of Duties on Goods imported into this Colony.*

June 21, 1899.

Be it enacted by the Governor, Council and Assembly of this Island, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

1. This act may be cited as the Customs Tariff Act, 1899.

2. Subject to the provisions of this act, hereinafter contained, there shall be raised, levied, collected and paid unto Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, for the use of this colony, upon live stock, goods, wares and merchandise, imported into this colony, or which may be in bond when this act comes into operation, the several duties of customs set forth in Table A in the schedule to this act, entitled Duties of Customs Inwards; and the articles mentioned in Table B, in the schedule to this Act, entitled Exemptions from Duty, may be imported without payment of any duty.

3. (a) The following articles the product of the soil or industry of the United States of America, of Great Britain and the British Possessions, and of such other countries as shall be entitled by convention with Great Britain to the benefit of the most favoured nation treatment, imported into this colony, or which may be in bond when this act comes into operation, shall be admitted free of duty, namely :—

Asses.  
Bran.  
Candles of tallow.  
Carts and vehicles.  
Clocks.  
Corn brooms.  
Corn or maize.  
Corn meal.  
Cotton seed oil.  
Cycles and parts.  
Eggs.  
Hay.  
Horses.  
Lamps.  
Machinery for electric lighting.  
Mules.  
Pitch and tar.  
Rosin.  
Tallow.  
Wire fencing.

(b) The provision hereinbefore made in favour of such countries as shall be entitled by convention with Great Britain to the benefit of the most favoured nation treatment shall cease to apply when the said conventional rights shall be terminated, and the provisions of Tables A and B, in the schedule to this act, shall thereupon apply to articles imported from such countries.

4. (a) The following articles the product of the soil or industry of the United States of America, of Great Britain and the British Possessions, and of such other countries as shall be entitled by convention

with Great Britain to the benefit of the most favoured nation treatment, imported into this colony, or which may be in bond when this act comes into operation, shall be admitted at a rate of duty of five per centum on the value, namely:—

Fruits and vegetables, dried, canned, or preserved, other than dried cocoanuts.  
Fish, tinned or canned.  
Clothing and wearing apparel made of cotton.  
Earthen and glassware.  
Hardware and cutlery.  
Furniture and upholstery.  
Wooden and willow ware.  
Wooden hoops.

(b) The provision hereinbefore made in favour of such countries as shall be entitled by convention with Great Britain to the benefit of the most favoured nation treatment shall cease to apply when the said conventional rights shall be terminated, and the provisions of Tables A and B, in the schedule to this act, shall thereupon apply to articles imported from such countries.

5. (a) The following articles the product of the soil or industry of the United States of America, of Great Britain and the British Possessions, and of such other countries as shall be entitled by convention with Great Britain to the benefit of the most favoured nation treatment, imported into this colony, or which may be in bond when this act comes into operation, shall be admitted at the following rates of duty, namely:—

		£	s.	d.
Bread and biscuit, not fancy or in tin	160 lbs.	0	0	6
Cheese	"	0	4	0
Coal	ton.	0	2	6
Flour of wheat	barrel.	0	2	6
Lard and its compounds or substitutes	100 lbs.	0	2	0
Meats: ham, bacon, tongues, canned or preserved meats	"	0	2	6
Beef or pork, salted or pickled	200 lbs.	0	1	6
Oats	100 lbs.	0	0	7½
Oilmeal or cake	"	0	0	6
Oleomargarine	"	0	1	0
Butter	"	0	1	6
Beer, lager only	gallon.	0	0	3
"	doz. qts.	0	0	6
Wines	gallon.	0	1	6
Lumber, pitch pine	1000 ft.	0	4	2
Shingles	1,000	0	1	6
Tobacco, unmanufactured, in packages of not less than 50 lbs.	lb.	0	0	11

(b) The provision hereinbefore made in favour of such countries as shall be entitled by convention with Great Britain to the benefit of the most favoured nation treatment shall cease to apply when the said conventional rights shall be terminated, and the provisions of Tables A and B in the schedule to this act, shall thereupon apply to articles imported from such countries.

6. The duties imposed by this act shall be ascertained, raised, levied, collected, paid, recovered and applied under the Trade Act, 1891, or any other act which may now or hereafter be in force having reference to the trade or revenue of this colony.

7. The duties under this act shall be paid and received according to the weights and measures established by the Weights and Measures Act, 1891; and in all cases wherein the same are imposed according to any specific quantity or value, the same shall be deemed to apply in the same proportion to any greater or less quantity or value.

8. Subject to the exception hereinafter contained this act shall come into operation on June 26, 1899, and shall continue in force until December 31, 1899; provided always that so far as goods which have not yet been brought from abroad into any port in this colony are concerned, this act shall come into operation immediately.

## SCHEDULE.

TABLE A.—DUTIES OF CUSTOMS INWARDS.

No.	Specific Duties.		£	s.	d.
1.	Arrowroot, tous-les-mois, and all other starches	100 lbs.	0	2	6
2.	Asses	each.	0	7	6
3.	Bran and pollard	100 lbs.	0	0	11½
4.	Bread, pilot, navy and crackers	"	0	1	6
5.	Bricks	"	0	7	6
6.	Butter	M.	0	7	6
7.	Oleomargarine, margarine and their compounds	100 lbs.	0	12	6
8.	Candles, other than tallow	"	0	6	3
9.	" tallow	"	0	12	6
10.	Cement	"	0	6	3
11.	Cheese	barrel.	0	2	6
12.	Coal, and the mixed preparations thereof, and coke	100 lbs.	0	12	6
13.	Cocoa	ton.	0	3	9
14.	Coffee	100 lbs.	0	6	3
15.	Cordage (except twines)	"	0	8	4
16.	Corn, maize, barley and wheat unground	"	0	4	6
		"	0	0	9

No.			£	s.	d.
17.	Firearms.....	each.	1	0	0
18.	Fish—Dried, salted or smoked.....	112 lbs.	0	2	6
19.	" Pickled, other than trout or salmon.....	barrel.	0	3	1½
20.	" Pickled, trout or salmon.....	"	0	6	3
21.	Flour, wheat or rye.....	barrel of 196 lbs.	0	6	3
22.	Grain (including beans and pease) not already specified.....	100 lbs.	0	1	1½
23.	Indian meal or other kinds.....	barrel of 196 lbs.	0	1	10½
24.	Hay.....	100 lbs.	0	0	4½
25.	Horses, under 14 hands high.....	each.	0	15	0
26.	" all others.....	"	3	0	0
27.	Lard.....	100 lbs.	0	6	3
28.	Liquors—Malt liquor, cider and perry in wood.....	cask 64 gallons.	0	18	9
29.	" Malt liquor, cider and perry in bottles, reputed quarts.....	dozen.	0	1	3
30.	" Spirit and cordials, except rum and perfumed spirits to be used as perfumery only.....	gallon.	0	10	0
31.	Liquors—Gin.....	every gallon below or equal to proof by Sykes' hydrometer.	0	5	0
32.	" Gin, for every higher degree of proof, in proportion.	"	"	"	"
33.	" Rum.....	every gallon below or equal to proof by Sykes' hydrometer.	0	5	0
34.	" Rum, for every higher degree of proof, in proportion.	"	"	"	"
35.	" Wine, sparkling.....	gallon.	0	5	0
36.	" Wine, all other kinds.....	"	0	2	0
37.	Manures and fertilizers, other than the raw manure of horses, mules, sheep and cattle.....	ton.	0	8	4
38.	Manure, raw, of horses, mules, sheep and cattle.....	"	0	1	0
39.	Matches, Lucifer and other kinds.....	gross of 12 dozen boxes, each box to contain not exceeding 100 sticks.	0	1	6
40.	Matches, boxes containing any greater or less quantity to be charged in proportion.	"	"	"	"
41.	Meat, salted or cured.....	100 lbs.	0	6	3
42.	Metals, new—Composition nails, bolts, bars, rods, spikes and rivets.....	"	0	6	3
43.	" Copper in sheets, rods, bars, bolts, spikes, nails and rivets.....	"	0	6	3
44.	" Iron hoops, bars and rods.....	"	0	0	6
45.	" Iron nails, spikes, rivets and clinches.....	"	0	1	6
46.	" Lead, sheet and pipe.....	"	0	1	6
47.	" Yellow metal, in sheets.....	"	0	6	3
48.	Metals, old—Copper, brass and pewter.....	"	0	3	0
49.	Molasses.....	gallon.	0	0	1½
50.	Mules of the value of £12, 10s. and upwards, cost.....	each.	2	5	0
51.	" under the value of £12, 10s., cost.....	"	1	10	0
52.	Oats.....	100 lbs.	0	0	11½
53.	Oil, kerosine.....	gallon.	0	0	6
54.	Oil meal and oil cake.....	100 lbs.	0	0	11½
55.	Oxen, bulls and cows.....	each.	0	15	0
56.	Rice.....	100 lbs.	0	1	6
57.	Salt.....	ton.	0	12	0
58.	Sheep and goats.....	each.	0	2	3
59.	Soap.....	100 lbs.	0	3	0
60.	Swine, except sucking pigs.....	each.	0	2	3
61.	Sugar.....	100 lbs.	0	15	0
62.	Tallow.....	"	0	3	0
63.	Tea.....	lb.	0	0	6
64.	Tobacco—Cigars, cheroots and cigarettes.....	"	0	5	0
65.	" Snuff.....	"	0	1	0
66.	" Other manufactured tobacco.....	"	0	1	6
67.	" Other manufactured tobacco, if in outer packages of less than 80 lbs. net weight each.....	lb.	0	2	0
68.	Tobacco—Leaf.....	"	0	1	0
69.	" Leaf, if in outer packages of less than 50 lbs. net weight each.....	"	0	1	6
70.	Wood—Hemlock, birch, beech, white pine, pitch pine and spruce.....	1,000 feet superficial measurement of one inch thickness.	0	7	6
71.	" All other kinds except in naves, felloes, spokes and unsquared posts.....	1,200 cubic ft.	0	9	0
72.	" Shingles of all description.....	M.	0	2	3
73.	" Staves, white and red oak, whether loose or made up in bundles or shooks.....	1,200 pieces.	0	9	0
74.	Wood—Oxbows.....	dozen.	0	0	9
75.	" Truss hoops.....	set of nine.	0	1	10½

*Ad valorem Duties.*

74. All other articles not in this table particularly enumerated, or in table B particularly exempted, to pay fifteen per cent ad valorem.

TABLE B.—EXEMPTIONS FROM DUTY.

75. All articles for the use of the Governor of the island.
76. All articles and things whatsoever imported by the local government for the police or for public institutions.
77. All articles specially imported for the use or decoration or building or repairing of any place of worship, and not imported for sale, on the certificate to that effect of the officiating minister.
78. All articles and things of every description imported by any naval officer on full pay in Her Majesty's service for his use and accommodation, on the certificate to that effect of the officer so importing.
79. The Governor purchasing any articles whatsoever, shall be entitled to have the duty refunded to him out of the public treasury on the warrant of the Governor-in-Executive Committee, on the certificate that he is entitled to the refund.
80. Where horses are purchased by the Governor direct from the importer within six months after the date of import, the duty shall be allowed him on the warrant of the Governor-in-Executive Committee, on the certificate that he is entitled to the refund.
81. All articles and things of every description, imported as general, military or naval stores for the use of Her Majesty's Military and Naval Forces, and all building materials and supplies, imported or taken out of bond under the authority of Her Majesty's treasury, for Military and Naval services, under certificate from the head of the department concerned. Charges imported by, and bona fide the property of field officers, or departmental officers of relative rank, or of staff officers or adjutants of regiments and necessary for the proper discharge of their military duties, under a certificate from the assistant adjutant general.
82. Articles of personal and horse equipment necessary for the performance of military duty, under a certificate from the head of the department concerned. Horses imported for the commissariat department or purchased for the commissariat department within six months of their being imported, under a certificate from the head of the commissariat department.
83. All bona fide official supplies sent for the use of any consular officer by his Government, if the Governor-in-Executive Committee, on proof that such Government accord to British Consular officers within its territory similar treatment, thinks fit, as a matter of courtesy, to exempt such supplies from custom duties, provided always that such consular officer before receiving such supplies, free of duty, shall make a declaration before the comptroller that such supplies are sent by his government for his use as consular officer; and provided also that any such exemption shall not exempt the consuls from customs duties generally.
84. Asphalt.
85. Betting for machinery.
86. Blubber and heads and offals of fish.
87. Bones, horns and dried blood.
88. Books bound and unbound, almanacs, cards (other than playing cards), papers and printed matter intended for advertisements, pamphlets, newspapers and printed matter in all languages, forms and paper (whether printed or manuscript), maps, charts, school globes, engravings, music pictures, statues, and other works of art; provided always that the importation of books shall be subject to the provisions of copyright laws.
89. Bottles, of glass or stoneware.
90. Calves, sucking.
91. Cassaripe.
92. Coconuts.
93. Coin and bullion.
94. Cotton Wool.
95. Eggs.
96. Foals.
97. Fresh fish and turtle.
98. Fresh fruit and vegetables.
99. Fuel: wood and charcoal.
100. Gravel, sand, soil, earth and peat.
101. Green ginger.
102. Gunpowder, gun cotton, dynamite, nitro-glycerine and all other explosive matter whatever.
103. Hoesticks.
104. Horses brought into the island by equestrian companies, provided the same are taken away by them on leaving; and race horses on every occasion after the first importation thereof, provided no drawback had been claimed thereon on exportation.
105. Hulls, boats, masts, spars, apparel, tackle and furniture of vessels condemned by survey, and on which tonnage duty shall have been paid.
106. Ice.
107. Kids and sucking lambs.
108. Leeches.
109. Lemon and lime juice.
110. Lime, building and temper.
111. Limestone.
112. Live and dead stock, not enumerated in Table A.
113. Logwood.
114. Machinery and apparatus imported for the purpose of manufacturing bricks, tiles, cements, pipes and other articles of the like nature, and for renewing the same as it shall from time become worn and useless.
115. Machinery imported for the purpose of reaping or manufacturing sugar, or rum.
116. Machinery and apparatus imported for use in the construction and establishment of ice factories and for the manufacture of ice.
117. Machinery and apparatus imported for the purpose of boring for oil or petroleum or for mining asphalt (commonly called manjak) or other minerals.



118. Machinery and apparatus imported for the purpose of refining oil or petroleum or manufacturing any article of commerce from oil obtained in this colony or for manufacturing fuel from manjak.
119. Machinery and apparatus imported for the purpose of manufacturing tobacco.
120. Machinery and apparatus imported for the purpose of manufacturing matches.
121. Metals : old iron and old lead.
122. Packages in which goods are imported except new trunks, vats, hogsheads and puncheons.
123. Passengers' baggage containing apparel and articles of personal use, and professional apparatus.
124. Patterns and samples of no intrinsic value.
125. Personal effects of individuals belonging to this island dying abroad.
126. Printing presses, printing paper, printing ink and type.
127. Pozzolana.
128. Rags.
129. Raw hides and skins.
130. Sawdust.
131. Specimens illustrative of natural history, seeds, bulbs, and roots, and cuttings of plants or shrubs of all kinds.
132. Straw.
133. Tablets and tombstones and all the appurtenances thereto imported specially for immediate erection and not for sale, on certificate of the person for whom imported.
134. Tar, pitch and resin.
135. Turtle and tortoise shell.

Read three times and passed the General Assembly this twenty-first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

F. J. CLARKE, *Speaker*.

Read three times and passed the Legislative Council this twenty-first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

GEORGE C. PILE, *President*.

I assent,

J. S. HAY, *Governor*.

June 21, 1899.

#### TONNAGE DUES.

All vessels landing or taking on board cargo pay 1s. per ton on the registered tonnage, or tonnage duty computed on the weight or measurement of the goods landed or taken on board, but in no case is the tonnage duty computed on the weight or measurement aforesaid to exceed the amount arrived at by calculating the duty at 1s. per ton on the registered tonnage.

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**There are no Export Duties.**



# III.—TARIFF CHANGES.

## (A.)—BRITISH INDIA.

### I.—TARIFF VALUATIONS OF CERTAIN COTTON GOODS.

(Notification, Finance and Commerce Department, No. 5483 S. R., dated December 1, 1891.—Customs Circular No. XIX of 1892.)

In exercise of the power conferred by section 7 of the Cotton Duties Act, II of 1896, and in super-session of the notification in this department, No. 677 S.R., dated February 13, 1897, the Governor General in Council is pleased to fix, for the descriptions of cotton goods hereunder specified, tariff values as follows:

No.	GRAY GOODS.	Tariff value per lb.	
		a.	p.
1.	Chadars and cholas, plain, or with borders not exceeding $\frac{1}{4}$ inch.....	6	0
2.	" " with borders exceeding $\frac{1}{4}$ inch.....	7	0
3.	Commissariat, sail, and tent cloth.....	6	0
4.	Dhutis, plain, or with borders not exceeding $\frac{1}{4}$ inch.....	6	0
5.	" with borders exceeding $\frac{1}{4}$ inch.....	6	6
6.	" black line border, calendered.....	6	3
7.	Domestics.....	6	0
8.	Dorias, including charkani and corded trousering.....	8	0
9.	Drills, jeans, and twills.....	6	0
10.	Dangari cloth, including khadi and double cloth.....	6	0
11.	Jaconets.....	10	0
12.	Longcloth, plain.....	6	0
13.	Madapollams.....	6	6
14.	Mulls.....	12	0
15.	Printers.....	7	6
16.	" (bhagavad).....	6	0
17.	Sallas, including dhotars, dupattas, and uparnas.....	6	0
18.	Sāris.....	6	0
19.	Sheeting.....	6	0
20.	Sheets, bed, plain (other than twills).....	6	0
21.	Shirtings, plain, or with borders not exceeding $\frac{1}{4}$ inch.....	6	0
22.	" with borders exceeding $\frac{1}{4}$ inch.....	6	6
23.	T-cloth, exceeding 20 inches in width, including China.....	6	0
24.	" not exceeding 20 inches in width.....	6	6
25.	Zanzibar cloth, including American cloth.....	6	0
No.	FANCY AND COLOURED GOODS.	Tariff value per lb.	
		a.	p.
26.	Bed ticking, plain or drilled.....	7	6
27.	Blankets and blanketing gray, unraised.....	6	0
28.	" " coloured, unraised.....	7	0
29.	" " gray, raised.....	7	0
30.	" " coloured, raised.....	8	0
31.	Charsas.....	8	6
32.	Cholis and coloured shris (sallas).....	10	0
33.	Drills and jeans, striped or checked.....	7	0
34.	Figured goods, gray, including table-cloths, bed covers, and quilts.....	7	0
35.	" coloured.....	8	6
36.	Flannelettes.....	8	0
37.	Galatea, Thana cloth, and leheria.....	8	6
38.	Napkins.....	7	0
39.	Sheets and twills, figured and striped.....	7	6
40.	Striped cloth (coloured stripes), including ordinary susi and susi checks.....	7	0
41.	Towels, Turkish.....	8	6
42.	" honeycomb and other sorts.....	7	0
43.	Fents, gray.....	5	0
44.	" coloured.....	6	0

Provided that any of the goods mentioned in the foregoing list when woven with borders of silk shall be assessed to duty ad valorem.

## II.—MODIFICATIONS OF THE ADDITIONAL DUTIES ON SUGAR IMPORTED INTO BRITISH INDIA.

(Notification, Finance and Commerce Department, No. 5720 S. R. dated December 15, 1899.—Customs Circular No. 1, of 1900.)

In exercise of power conferred by sub section (2) of section 8 A of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (VIII. of 1894, as amended by Acts III. of 1896 and XIV. of 1899), and in supersession of the rates of additional duty on the kinds of sugar mentioned against Germany \* in the notification No. 3934 S.R., dated August 23, 1899, the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the rates shall be revised as follows, with effect from December 15, 1899 :

Kinds of Sugar.	Bounties bestowed.	Additional duties to be levied.		
		Per cwt.		
		R.	a.	P.
Raw sugar of at least 90 p.c. polarization . . . . .	2 40 marks per 100 kilogs . .	0	14	4
Refined sugar under 98 p.c. and of at least 90 p.c. polarization . . . . .	2 40 " " " . .	0	14	4
Candy and sugar in white, hard loaves, blocks, crystals, &c., of at least 99½ p.c. polarization . . . . .	3 44 " " " . .	1	4	7
All other sugar of at least 98 p.c. polarization . . . . .	2 89 " " " . .	1	1	3

## III.—AMENDMENT OF SCHEDULE IV. TO THE IMPORT TARIFF.

(Notification, Finance and Commerce Department, No. 5896 S. R. dated December 29, 1899.—Customs Circular, No. 11 of 1900.)

In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 22 and 23 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII. of 1878), in modification of the tariff values fixed by the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (VIII. of 1894), as amended by the Indian Tariff Act (1894) Amendment Act, 1896 (III. of 1896), and as further altered from time to time by notifications of the Governor General in Council, and in supersession of all previous notifications exempting of any goods imported into British India from the whole or any part of the customs duties leviable thereon, the Governor General in Council is pleased to fix for the articles specified in the schedule hereto annexed, the tariff values stated in the said schedule.

(\*) See page 42, Report for the month of October, 1899.

Provided that nothing in this notification shall effect any additional duty imposed under the power conferred by section 8 A of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (VII. of 1894), as amended by the Indian Tariff Act Amendment Act, 1899 (XIV. of 1899).

## SCHEDULE IV.—Import Tariff.

## GENERAL DUTIES.

No.	NAMES OF ARTICLES.	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
		R. a.	
	ANIMALS—LIVING.		
1.	Horses, cattle, sheep, and all other living animals of all kinds . . . . .		free.
	ARTICLES OF FOOD AND DRINK.		
2.	Coffee . . . . . cwt.	30 0	5 p. c.
3.	Fruits and Vegetables, except fresh fruits and vegetables not separately enumerated, which are free :		
	Almonds without shell . . . . . cwt.	55 0	"
	" in the shell . . . . .	14 0	"
	" (kagazi) . . . . .	35 0	"
	Cashew or cajoo kernels . . . . .	12 0	"
	Cocoanuts . . . . . thousand	30 0	"
	" kernel (khopra) . . . . . cwt.	12 0	"
	Currants, in cases . . . . .	14 0	"
	" in cans . . . . .	28 0	"
	" other . . . . .	14 0	"
	Dates, dry in bags . . . . .	5 8	"
	" wet " . . . . .	4 0	"
	" " in pots and boxes . . . . .	8 8	"
	Figs, Persian, dried . . . . .	12 0	"
	Garlic . . . . .	5 0	"

No.	NAMES OF ARTICLES.	Tariff Valuation. R. a.	Duty.
3.	Fruits and vegetables— <i>Con.</i>		
	Hops.....		free.
	Pistachio nuts..... cwt.	27 0	5 p. c.
	Prunes, Bussora (alu-Bokhara).....	20 0	"
	Raisins, black.....	10 0	"
	" kishmish.....	11 0	"
	" Munakka.....	8 0	"
	" other sorts..... ad val.		"
	Walnuts..... cwt.	8 0	"
	All other sorts of fruits and vegetables..... ad val.		"
4.	Grain and pulse, including broken grain and pulse, but not including flour		free.
5.	Mineral and aerated waters, and all unfermented and non-alcoholic beverages..... ad val.		5 p. c.
6.	Provisions, oilman's stores and groceries—		
	Bacon..... lb.	0 11	"
	Beef and Pork..... tierce of 3 cwt.	100 0	"
	..... barrel of 2 cwt.	75 0	"
	Biche de mer..... cwt.	50 0	"
	Butter..... lb.	1 0	"
	Cheese.....	0 11	"
	China preserves..... box of six jars.	4 0	"
	" fruit preserves, dry candied..... lb.	0 4½	"
	Cocum..... cwt.	5 8	"
	Fish-maws.....		free.
	Flour..... ad val.		5 p. c.
	Ghi..... cwt.	50 0	"
	Groceries not otherwise described..... ad val.		"
	Margarine..... lb.	1 0	"
	Pork hams.....	0 11	"
	Sago..... cwt.	8 4	"
	Shark-fins.....		free.
	Singally and sozille.....		"
	Tapioca..... cwt.	9 8	5 p. c.
	Vinegar, European, in wood..... Imperial gallon.	1 0	"
	" Persian.....	1 8	"
	" country.....	0 6	"
	All other sorts of provisions, oilman's stores and groceries..... ad val.		"
7.	Spices—		
	Betelnuts: Goa..... cwt.	16 0	"
	" in the husk..... thousand.	2 0	"
	" all other sorts..... ad val.		"
	Cardamoms, Ceylon..... cwt.	200 0	"
	Chillies, dry.....	10 0	"
	Cloves.....	22 0	"
	" stems and heads.....	5 8	"
	" in seeds, narlavang.....	11 0	"
	Ginger, dry.....	13 0	"
	Mace..... lb.	1 2	"
	Nutmegs.....	0 8	"
	" in shell.....	0 6	"
	Pepper, black..... cwt.	30 0	"
	" long.....	30 0	"
	" white.....	58 0	"
	All other sorts of spices..... ad val.		"
8.	Sugar, China, candy..... cwt.	18 0	"
	" loaf.....	15 0	"
	" crystallised, beet.....	12 0	"
	" and soft, from China.....	12 0	"
	" and soft, from Mauritius.....	11 8	"
	" soft or raw, other than from Mauritius or China.....	10 8	"
	" all other sorts, including saccharine produce of all kinds and confectionery..... ad val.		"
9.	Tea, black..... lb.	0 8	"
	" green.....	0 10	"
CHEMICALS, DRUGS, MEDICINES, AND NARCOTICS, AND DYEING AND TANNING MATERIALS.			
10.	Chemical products and preparations—		
	Acid, sulphuric..... lb.	0 1½	5 p. c.
	Alkali, country (sajji-khar)..... cwt.	1 8	"
	Album.....	4 0	"
	Arsenic.....	21 8	"
	" China, mansil.....	12 0	"
	Bicarbonate of soda..... cwt.	6 8	"
	Copperas, green.....	2 10	"
	Explosives, namely, blasting gelatine, dynamite, roburite, tonite, and all other descriptions, and including detonators and blasting fuzes..... ad val.		"
	Sal ammoniac..... cwt.	26 0	"

NAMES OF ARTICLES.		Tariff Valuation. R. a.	Duty.
11. Medicals products and preparations— <i>Con.</i>			
Sulphate of copper.....	"	20 0	5 p. c.
Sulphur (brimstone), flour.....	"	5 8	"
" ( " ), roll.....	"	5 4	"
" ( " ), rough.....	"	4 8	"
All other sorts of chemical products and preparations, including salt- petre and borax.....		ad val.	"
11. Drugs, Medicines and Narcotics—			
Aloes, black.....	cwt.	20 0	"
" Socotra.....	"	30 0	"
Aloe-wood.....	lb.	6 0	"
Asafetida (hing).....	cwt.	65 0	"
" coarse (hingra).....	"	25 0	"
Atary, Persian.....	"	15 0	"
Banslochan (bamboo camphor).....	lb.	0 5	"
Brimstone (amalsara).....	cwt.	35 0	"
Calumba or Colombo root.....	"	7 0	"
Camphor, Bhimsaini (baras).....	lb.	65 0	"
" refined, cake.....	"	1 6	"
" crude, in powder.....	"	0 15	"
Cassia lignea.....	cwt.	28 0	"
China root (chobchini), rough.....	"	9 8	"
" ( " ), scraped.....	"	15 0	"
Cubebs.....	"	13 0	"
Galangal, China.....	"	10 0	"
Pellitory (akalkara).....	"	33 0	"
Peppermint crystals.....	lb.	7 0	"
Quinine and other alkaloids of chinchona.....	"		free.
Salep.....	cwt.	100 0	5 p. c.
Senna leaves.....	"	7 0	"
Storax, liquid (rose melloes).....	"	44 0	"
Tobacco, unmanufactured.....			free.
" manufactured.....		ad val.	5 p. c.
All other sorts of drugs, medicines, and narcotics, except opium (for which see Schedule III).....		"	"
12. Dyeing and Tanning Materials—			
Alizarine dye, dry, 40 p. c.....	lb.	1 1	"
" " 50 ".....	"	1 3	"
" " 60 ".....	"	1 7	"
" " 70 ".....	"	1 10	"
" " 80 ".....	"	1 14	"
" " 100 ".....	"	2 4	"
" liquid, 10 ".....	"	0 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	"
" " 16 ".....	"	0 4 $\frac{1}{2}$	"
" " 20 ".....	"	0 6 $\frac{1}{2}$	"
Aniline dye, liquid, indigo blue.....	"	0 6 $\frac{1}{2}$	"
" dry.....	"	1 4	"
Aniline salts.....		ad val.	"
Avar bark.....	cwt.	4 4	"
Buzgand (gulpista).....	"	34 0	"
Cochineal.....	lb.	0 14	"
Galluats (myrabolams).....	cwt.	3 0	"
" Persian.....	"	35 0	"
Madder or manjit.....	"	11 0	"
Orchilla weed.....	"	4 0	"
Sappan wood and root.....	"	5 8	"
All other sorts of dyeing and tanning materials.....		ad val.	"

## METALS AND MANUFACTURES OF METALS.

13. Hardware and Cutlery, including ironmongery and plated-ware, and also including machines, tools, and implements to be worked by manual or animal labour, except water-lifts, sugar-mills, oil-presses, and parts thereof, and any other machines and parts of machines ordinarily used in processes of husbandry, or for the preparation for use or for sale of the products of husbandry which the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, exempt, also the following articles used in the manufacture of cotton, namely, bobbins (warping), forks for looms, healds, heald cords, heald knitting needles, laces, lags and needles for dobbies, pickers (buffalo and others), picking bands, picking levers, picking sticks (over and under), reed pliers, reeds, shuttles (for power looms), springs for looms, strappings, and weft forks, all of which are free.....

ad val. 5 p. c.

No.	NAMES OF ARTICLES.	Tariff Valuation. R. a.	Duty.
14.	Machinery, namely, prime-movers, and component parts thereof, including boilers and component parts thereof; also including locomotive and portable engines, steam-rollers, fire-engines and other machines in which the prime-mover is not separable from the operative parts		free.
	Machinery (and component parts thereof), meaning machines or sets of machines to be worked by electric, steam, water, fire, or other power not being manual or animal labour, or which before being brought into use require to be fixed with reference to other moving parts.		
	Provided that the term does not include tools and implements to be worked by manual or animal labour, and provided also that only such articles shall be admitted as component parts of machinery as are indispensable for the working of the machinery and are, owing to their shape or to other special quality, not adapted for any other purpose.		
	NOTE.—Machinery and component parts thereof made of substances other than metal are included in this entry.		
15.	Metals, unwrought and wrought, and articles made of metals—		
	Brass, beads, ghungri, China	thousand	0 12
	" foil or dankpana, white, 10½ in. x 4½ in.	hundred leaves	1 0
	" foil or dankpana, coloured, 10½ in. x 4½ in.	"	1 4
	" old.	cwt.	26 0
	" sheets, flat or in rolls, very thin.	"	105 0
	" wire	lb.	0 8
	" all other sorts.	"	ad val.
	Copper, bolt.	cwt.	57 0
	" braziers and sheets.	"	55 0
	" nails and composition nails.	"	55 0
	" old.	"	35 0
	" pigs and slabs.	"	38 0
	" sheathing, plate, and raised bottoms.	cwt.	57 0
	" tiles, ingots, cakes and bricks	"	50 0
	" China, white, copperware.	lb.	1 2
	" foil or dankpana, white, 10½ in. x 4½ in.	hundred leaves	1 12
	" coloured, 10½ in. x 4½ in.	"	2 0
	" wire, including wire of phosphor-bronze.	lb.	0 9½
	" all other sorts, unmanufactured and manufactured, except current coin of the Government of India, which is free.	"	ad val.
	Gold bullion and coin	"	free.
	" leaf.	hundred leaves	2 12
	Iron, anchors and cables.	"	ad val.
	" angle, T, and channel, other than Lowmoor or Swedish.	ton	130 0
	" angle and T, other than Lowmoor or Swedish (if galvanised)	"	190 0
	" channel (if galvanised)	"	ad val.
	" bar, Lowmoor	ton	375 0
	" bar, Swedish	"	165 0
	" bar, Swedish nail-rod, also round rod under half an inch diam.	"	170 0
	" bar, other kinds	"	115 0
	" bar, other kinds, nail-rod and round rod under half an inch in diameter.	"	120 0
	" bar, other kinds (if galvanised)	"	170 0
	" beams, joists, pillars, girders, bridge-works, and other such descriptions of iron imported exclusively for building purposes.	"	ad val.
	" plate and sheet, Lowmoor.	ton	500 0
	" " Swedish	"	ad val.
	" " and hoops, other kinds.	ton	140 0
	" hoops, other kinds (if galvanised)	"	ad val.
	" plate	ton	210 0
	" " (if tinned).	"	ad val.
	" sheets	" (if galvanised)	cwt.
	" " (lead coated).	"	ad val.
	" bar, hoop, plate and sheet, Lowmoor and Swedish (if galvanised).	"	"
	" " (including angle, T, and channel) hoop, plate and sheet (tinned).	"	"
	" nails, rose, wire and flat-headed.	cwt.	10 0
	" " clasp	"	17 0
	" " other sorts (including galvanised or tinned).	"	ad val.
	" nuts and bolts	"	"
	" old.	cwt.	2 8
	" pig.	ton	60 0
	" pipes and tubes, including fittings therefor, such as bends, boots, elbows, tees, sockets, flanges, and the like.	"	ad val.
	" rails, chairs, sleepers, and fish-plates, other than those described in No. 68, also spikes (commonly known as dog-spikes).	"	"
	" switches, crossings, lever-boxes, clips and tie-bars	"	"
	" rice-bowls.	"	"
	" ridging, galvanised	cwt.	12 0
	" rivets and washers, Lowmoor.	"	20 0

NAMES OF ARTICLES.		Tariff Variation. R. a.	Duty.
Metals, unwrought and wrought, and articles made of metals— <i>Continued.</i>			
Iron, rivets and washers, Lowmour (if galvanised).....	ad val.		1 p. c.
"                    "                    other kinds.....	cwt.	10 0	"
"                    "                    (if galvanised).....	ad val.		"
"                    "                    (if tinned).....	"		"
Iron, wire, including fencing wire and wire rope, but excluding wire netting.....	"		"
" all other sorts, including wire netting.....	"		5 p. c.
Lametta.....	"		"
Lead, ore, galena.....	cwt.	14 0	"
" pig.....	"	12 0	"
" pipes.....	ad val.		"
" sheets.....	cwt.	14 0	"
" for tea-chests.....	"		free.
Orsduie and brass leaves, European.....	lb.	1 4	5 p. c.
"                    "                    China.....	"	0 14	"
Patent or yellow metal, sheeting sheets, and bolts.....	cwt.	45 0	"
"                    "                    "                    old.....	"	27 0	"
"                    "                    "                    "                    ".....	lb.	1 12	"
Quicksilver.....	cwt.	17 0	"
Shot, bird.....	"		"
Silver bullion or coin, except current coin of the Government of India, which is free.....	ad val.		"
Steel, angle, channel and spring.....	"		1 p. c.
" bar and blooms.....	"		"
" basic, all sorts (other than galvanised or tinned basic steel sheets).....	"		"
" basic, sheets (if galvanised).....	"		"
"                    "                    (if tinned).....	"		"
" beams, joists, pillars, girders, bridge-works, and other descriptions of steel imported exclusively for building purposes.....	"		"
" cast and blistered of any kind not specified in this number.....	"		"
" hoops.....	ton.	155 0	"
"                    "                    (if galvanised).....	"	ad val.	"
" nails.....	"		"
" nuts and bolts and nailrods.....	"		"
" old.....	ton.	130 0	"
" pipes and tubes, including fittings therefor, such as bends, boots, elbows, tees, sockets, flanges, and the like.....	ad val.		"
" plates and sheets.....	ton	145 0	"
"                    "                    planished.....	"	ad val.	"
"                    "                    other than basic (if galvanised).....	ton	210 0	"
"                    "                    "                    (if tinned).....	"	ad val.	"
" rails, chairs, sleepers, and fish-plates other than those described in No. 65, also spikes (commonly known as dog-spikes), switches, crossings, lever-boxes, clips, and tie-bars.....	"		"
" rivets and washers.....	ton	210 0	"
"                    "                    (if galvanised).....	"	310 0	"
"                    "                    (if tinned).....	"	ad val.	"
" T-bars.....	ton.	135 0	"
"                    "                    (if galvanised).....	"	200 0	"
"                    "                    (if tinned).....	"	ad val.	"
" wire, excluding wire-netting.....	"		"
" wire-rope.....	"		"
" all other sorts, including wire-netting.....	"		"
Tin, block.....	cwt.	90 0	"
" foil, China.....	lb.	0 12	"
" other sorts.....	ad val.		"
Zinc or spelter, nails.....	cwt.	20 0	5 p. c.
"                    "                    plates and other shapes, soft.....	"	20 0	"
"                    "                    "                    hard.....	"	15 0	"
"                    "                    sheet or sheathing.....	"	22 0	"
"                    "                    all other sorts.....	ad val.		"
All other sorts of metals.....	"		"

## 16. Oils—

Cajeputi.....	quart	1 12	5 p. c.
Cassia.....	lb.	3 4	"
Cocanut.....	cwt.	16 0	"
Linseed.....	Imperial gallon	1 12	"
Otto of sorts.....	ounce	15 0	"
Petroleum, including also naphtha and the liquids commonly known by the names of rock-oil, Rangoon oil, Burma oil, kerosine, paraffin oil, mineral oil, petroline, gasoline, benzol, beazoline, benzine, and any inflammable liquid which is made from petroleum, coal, schist, shale, peat or any other bituminous substance, or from any products of petroleum.....	Imperial gallon	.....	1 anna.



No.	NAMES OF ARTICLES.	Tariff Valuation. R. a.	Duty.
16.	<i>Oils—Continued.</i>		
	Petroleum, which has its flashing point at or above two hundred degrees of Fahrenheit's thermometer and is proved to the satisfaction of the Customs Collector to be intended for use exclusively for the batching of jute or other fibre, or for lubricating purposes or fuel	ad val.	5 p. c.
	Whale (except spermaceti) and fish	cwt. 15 0	"
	Wood	" 25 0	"
	All other sorts of oil, including paraffin wax	ad val.	"
	OTHER ARTICLES, UNMANUFACTURED AND MANUFACTURED.		
17.	Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, and millinery, and military and other uniforms and accoutrements; but excluding cotton hosiery (for which see No. 37), and boots and shoes (for which see No. 53), and excluding also uniforms, and accoutrements appertaining thereto, imported by a public servant for his personal use, which are free	ad val.	"
18.	Art, works of, except statuary and pictures intended to be put up in a public place, which are free	"	"
19.	Bamboos, common, grass, hay, rushes, straw, and leaves	"	free.
20.	Beads, of all materials except glass, for which see No. 44, and brass, for which see No. 15—		
	Beads, China, Ankadana	133½ lb. 27 0	5 p. c.
	" Dagri	" 133½ 24 0	"
	" Gadgadla	" 133½ 22 0	"
	" Kamrakhi	" 133½ 28 0	"
	" Lalri	" 133½ 35 0	"
	" Naksi	" 133½ 32 0	"
	" Pakhavaji	" 133½ 28 0	"
	" Sulemani	" 133½ 30 0	"
	All other sorts	ad val.	"
21.	Belt of cotton, leather, or other material, for driving machinery	"	free.
22.	Books, printed, including covers for printed books, maps, charts, and plans, proofs, music, and manuscripts	"	"
23.	Bristles and fibre, for brushes and brooms	"	"
24.	Brushes and brooms, all sorts	ad val.	5 p. c.
25.	Building and engineering materials, namely, asphalt, bricks and tiles, cement of all kinds, fire-clay, earthenware piping, lime and other kinds not otherwise described	"	"
26.	Cabinet-ware and furniture	"	"
27.	Candles, paraffin	lb. 0 6	"
	" spermaceti	" 0 7	"
	" wax	" 1 0	"
	" all other sorts	ad val.	"
28.	Canes and rattans, articles made of cane or rattan, and basket work—		
	Canes, Malacca	dozen 7 0	"
	Rattans	cwt. 10 0	"
	All other sorts	ad val.	"
29.	Carriages and carts, including bicycles, tricycles, jinrikshas, Bath chairs, perambulators, trucks, wheel-barrows, and all other sorts of conveyances, and component parts thereof	"	"
30.	Chinese and Japanese ware, including lacquered ware, but excluding earthenware, china and porcelain (for which see No. 39)	"	"
31.	Clocks, watches and other time-keepers, and parts thereof	"	"
32.	Coal, coke, and patent fuel	"	free.
33.	Coir and articles made of coir, except cables and rope (for which see No. 35)—		
	Yarn of all kinds	cwt. 6 8	5 p. c.
	All other sorts	ad val.	"
34.	Coral, real	"	"
35.	Cordage, rope and twine, made of any vegetable fibre—		
	Coir, cables, tarred	cwt. 17 0	"
	" rope	" 10 0	"
	Cordage hemp, European	" 25 0	"
	" Manila	" 28 0	"
	All other sorts of cordage, rope and twine	ad val.	"
36.	Cork and articles made of cork—		
	Bottle corks	gross 1 8	"
	Vial corks	" 0 6	"
	All other sorts	ad val.	"
37.	Cotton and articles made of cotton—		
	Cotton, raw	"	free.
	" twist and yarn	"	"
	" sewing thread	"	"
	" piece-goods, hosiery, and all other manufactured cotton goods not otherwise described	ad val.	3½ p. c.
38.	Earth, common clay, and sand	"	free.
39.	Earthenware (except earthenware piping, for which see No. 25), china, china clay, porcelain, and imitation of false coral	ad val.	5 p. c.

No.	NAMES OF ARTICLES.	Tariff	Duty.
		Valuation. R. a. ad val.	
40.	Fans of all kinds, except common palm-leaf fans, which are free .....	"	5 p. c.
41.	Fireworks, all sorts, including fulminating powder .....	"	"
42.	Flax, and articles made of flax, including linen-thread .....	"	"
43.	Furniture, Tackle, and Apparel, not otherwise described, for steam, sailing, rowing and other vessels .....	"	"
44.	Glass, Glass-ware and False Pearls :—		
	Glass, China, all colours .....	133 0	"
	Pearls, false, bajria .....	lakh 3 0	"
	" boria .....	thousand 0 10	"
	" jauria .....	lakh 6 0	"
	" lolakh .....	thousand 0 8	"
	" nathia .....	" 0 3	"
	" táchia .....	" 0 8	"
	" wattanah .....	lakh 10 0	"
	All other sorts of glass and manufactures of glass, including false pearls and glass beads .....	ad val.	"
45.	Gums, Gum-resins, and articles made of gum-resin :—		
	Copal .....	cwt. 70 0	"
	Cutch and gambier .....	" 14 0	"
	Camboe .....	lb. 0 15	"
	Gum Ammoniac .....	cwt. 15 0	"
	" Arabic .....	" 22 0	"
	" Bdelium .....	" 13 0	"
	" Benjamin .....	" 40 0	"
	" Bysabol (coarse myrrh) .....	" 22 0	"
	" Olibanum or frankincense .....	"	free.
	" Persian (false) .....	cwt. 9 0	5 p. c.
	" Kino .....	" 10 0	"
	Myrrh .....	" 28 0	"
	Rosin .....	" 4 4	"
	All other sorts of gums, gum-resins, and articles made of gum or gum-resin, including caoutchouc and gutta-percha .....	ad val.	"
46.	Hemp, including Manila hemp, and articles made therefrom (except cordage, rope, and twine, for which see No. 35) .....	"	"
47.	Hides and Skins (except raw or salted hides and skins, which are free) :—		
	Hides, border .....	each. 33 0	"
	" buffalo .....	score. 70 0	"
	" cow .....	" 60 0	"
	Skins, including parchment and vellum, gold-beaters' skins, and all other descriptions of hides or skins .....	ad val.	"
48.	Horn .....	"	free.
	" articles made of, not otherwise described .....	"	5 p. c.
49.	Instruments, Apparatus and Appliances, and parts thereof :—		
	Computing, Dental, Distilling, Diving, Drawing, Educational, Electric, Electric lighting, Galvanic, Measuring, Musical, Optical, Philosophical, Phonographic, Photographic (including materials for Photography), Scientific, Surgical, Surveying, Telegraphic, Telephonic, Typewriters, and all other sorts, except Telegraphic instruments and apparatus, and parts thereof, when imported by or under the orders of a railway com- pany, and any instruments, apparatus and appliances when imported by a passenger as part of his personal baggage and in actual use by him in the exercise of his profession or calling, which are free .....	"	"
50.	Ivory and Ivory-ware :—		
	Unmanufactured :—		
	Elephants' grinders .....	cwt. 350 0	"
	Elephants' tusks (other than hollows, centres and points) each exceeding 20 lb. in weight, and hollows, centres, and points each weighing 10 lb. and over .....	cwt. 750 0	"
	Elephants' tusks (other than hollows, centres, and points) not less than 10 lb. and not exceeding 20 lb. each, and hollows, centres and points each weighing less than 10 lb. ....	cwt. 650 0	"
	Elephants' tusks, each less than 10 lb. (other than hollows, centres and points) .....	cwt. 500 0	"
	Sea-cow or moye-teeth, each not less than 4 lb. ....	" 200 0	"
	" " 3 lb. and under 4 lb. ....	" 185 0	"
	" " less than 3 lb. ....	" 135 0	"
	All other sorts, manufactured and unmanufactured .....	ad val.	"
51.	Jewellery and Jewels, including plate and other manufactures of gold and silver :—		
	Silver-ware, other than European .....	tola. 1 0	"
	" embossed or chased, other than European. ....	" 1 4	"
	All other sorts, except precious stones and pearls, unset, which are free. ....	ad val.	free.
52.	Jute, raw .....	"	5 p. c.
	" articles made of, except second-hand or used gunny bags, which are free. ....	"	"
53.	Leather, and articles made of leather, including boots and shoes, harness and saddlery, except saddlery of a military pattern imported by an officer of Her Majesty's regular forces and forming part of the equipment which he is required to supply himself under Army Regulations, which is free. ....	"	"

No.	NAMES OF ARTICLES.	Tariff		Duty.
		Valuation.	R. a.	
54.	Manures of all kinds, including animal bones.....			free.
55.	Mats and Matting :— Floor-matting, China and Singapore, of all sorts ..... hundred.	60	0	5 p. c.
	All other sorts, except coir-matting (for which see No. 33).....	ad val.		free.
56.	Oilcake, also bran, fodder, and cattle food of all kinds.....			5 p. c.
57.	Oil-cloth and Floor-cloth, including linocrusta, linoleum, and tarpaulins.....	"		
58.	Paints, Colours, Painters' Materials, and compositions for application to leather, wood, and metals :— Ochre, other than European, all colours..... cwt.	1	4	"
	Paints, composition..... " "	55	0	"
	Paints, patent driers..... " "	11	0	"
	Red lead, dry..... " "	14	0	"
	Turpentine..... Imperial gallon.	2	6	"
	Verdigris..... cwt.	70	0	"
	Vermilion, Canton..... box of 90 bundles.	100	0	"
	White lead, dry..... cwt.	16	0	"
	White zinc, dry..... do	25	0	"
	All other sorts, including glue and putty.....	ad val.		"
59.	Paper, Pasteboard, Millboard, and Cardboard of all kinds, including ruled or printed forms and account and manuscript books, labels, advertising circulars, sheet or card almanacs and calendars, Christmas, Easter and other cards, including cards in booklet form, including also waste paper and old newspapers for packing.....	"		"
	articles made of paper and papier-mâché.....	"		"
60.	Perfumery :— Gowla, husked and unhusked..... cwt.	40	0	"
	Kapurkachri (zedoary)..... " "	12	0	"
	Patch leaves (patchouli)..... " "	12	0	"
	Rose-flowers, dried..... " "	14	0	"
	Rose-water..... Imperial gallon	2	0	"
	All other sorts, except perfumed spirit (for which see Schedule III.).....	ad val.		"
61.	Pitch, Tar and Dammer :— Bitumen.....	"		"
	Dammer..... cwt.	5	0	"
	Pitch, American and European..... " "	7	0	"
	Pitch, coal..... " "	3	8	"
	Tar, American and European..... " "	6	0	"
	Tar, coal..... " "	3	8	"
	Tar, mineral.....	ad val.		"
62.	Plants and bulbs, living, also dried for berbaria.....			free.
63.	Precious stones and pearls, unset (including the stones generically known as Cambay stones, such as agates, cornelians and onyx).....			"
64.	Pulp of wood, straw, rags, paper and other materials.....			"
65.	Printing and lithographing material, namely, presses, type, ink, brass rules, composing sticks, chases, imposing tables and lithographic stones, but not including paper.....			"
66.	Rags.....			"
67.	Racks for the withering of tea leaf.....			"
68.	Railway material for permanent-way and rolling-stock, namely, cylinders, girders and other material for bridges, rails, sleepers, bearing and fish-plates, fish-bolts, chairs, spikes, crossings, sleeper fastenings, switches, interlocking apparatus, break gear, couplings and springs, signals, turn-tables, weigh-bridges, engines, tenders, carriages, waggons, trawlers, trolleys, trucks and component parts thereof; also the following articles when imported by or under the orders of a railway company, namely, cranes, water cranes, water tanks and standards, wire and other materials for fencing : Provided that for the purpose of this exemption 'railway' means a line of railway subject to the provisions of the Indian Railways Act, 1890, and includes a railway constructed in a Native State under the suzerainty of Her Majesty, and also such tramways as the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, specifically include therein.....			"
69.	Seeds :— Castor..... cwt.	6	0	5 p. c.
	Cumin..... " "	17	0	"
	" black..... " "	16	0	"
	Linseed..... " "	6	8	"
	Methi..... " "	5	0	"
	Mustard, rape or sarson..... " "	8	0	"
	Poppy..... " "	6	8	"
	Quince, bihidana..... " "	75	0	"
	Sozira..... " "	23	0	"
	Tilor jinjili..... " "	7	0	"
	All other sorts.....	ad val.		"

No.	NAMES OF ARTICLES.	Tariff		Duty.
		Valuation.	R. a.	
70.	Shells and Cowries :—			
	Chanks : large shells, for cameos..... hundred.	7	0	5 p. c.
	" white, live..... "	8	0	"
	" white, dead..... "	4	0	"
	Cowras..... "	0	10	"
	Cowries, bazar, common..... cwt.	2	8	"
	" Maldive..... "	5	8	"
	" sankhla..... "	70	0	"
	" yellow, superior quality..... "	5	8	"
	Mother-of-pearl, nacre.....			free.
	Nakhla..... cwt.	55	0	5 p. c.
	Tortoise-shell..... lb.	9	0	"
	" nakh..... lb.	3	0	"
	All other sorts, including articles made of shell, not otherwise described.....	ad val.		"
71.	Ship and other vessels for inland and harbor navigation, including steamers, steam-launches, boats, and barges, imported entire or in sections.....			free.
72.	Silk and articles made of silk :—			
	Floss..... lb.	6	8	5 p. c.
	Piece-goods.....	ad val.		"
	Raw silk :—			
	Bokhara..... lb.	7	8	"
	Chaharam, Cochin-China, and Yellow Shanghai..... "	4	8	"
	Mathow..... "	2	0	"
	Other kinds of China..... "	6	8	"
	Waste and Kachra..... "	1	4	"
	Panjam..... "	1	8	"
	Persian..... "	5	0	"
	Siam..... "	2	0	"
	Produced from the tasar or other wild worm..... "	2	8	"
	Sewing thread, China..... "	8	0	"
	All other sorts, including cocoons.....	ad val.		"
73.	Soap.....	"		"
74.	Specimens illustrative of Natural Science, including also antique coins and medals.....			free.
75.	Stationery, excluding paper (for which see No. 59).....	ad val.		5 p. c.
76.	Stone and marble, and articles made of stone and marble.....	"		"
77.	Tallow and grease, including stearine..... cwt.	20	0	"
78.	Tea-chests of metal or wood, whether imported entire or in sections, provided that the Customs Collector is satisfied that they are imported for the purpose of the packing of tea for transport in bulk.....			free.
79.	Textile Fabrics not otherwise described.....	ad val.		5 p. c.
80.	Toilet Requisites not otherwise described.....	"		"
81.	Toys, including toy-books and requisites for all games.....	"		"
82.	Umbrellas, parasols and sunshades of all kinds.....	"		"
83.	Walking sticks and sticks for umbrellas, parasols and sunshades, of all kinds, mounted and unmounted, driving, riding and other whips, fishing rods and lines.....	"		"
84.	Wood and timber (except fire-wood, which is free) and articles made of wood not otherwise described.....	ad val.		"
85.	Wool, raw.....			free.
	" articles made of, including felt.....	ad val.		5 p. c.
86.	All other articles, manufactured or unmanufactured, not described in this Schedule.....	"		"

## (B.)—MALTA.

## CUSTOMS CLASSIFICATION OF OILS GENERALLY.

Instead of the duty on olive oil established by Ordinance No. VIII of 1837, promulgated on November 3, 1837, there shall be levied a duty of six pence per cask on oil of every description, with the exception of linseed oil, or other oils used as medicine, and of any oils, which, being unfit for food, are intended for industrial purposes; and a duty of one shilling per cask on cotton seed oil, or any oil containing any mixture of cotton seed oil. (Ordinance No. VI of 1897.)

## TONNAGE DUES.

	£	s.	d.
Every ship or other sea-going craft discharging, in these islands, any quantity of goods, shall pay tonnage dues regulated on the tonnage of the same ship, measured according to the laws in force in these islands, at the rate of . . . ton	0	0	3
Steam ships shall, even when they shall not have discharged any goods, pay port dues regulated as follows:—			
If the tonnage of the ship, measured according to the laws in force in these islands, does not exceed 400 tons . . . . .	1	0	0
If it exceeds that limit, but does not exceed 800 tons . . . . .	2	0	0
If it exceeds 800 tons . . . . .	3	0	0

## OFFICE FEES.

Certificates under the office seal . . . . . each.	0	2	6
Sheets of printed official forms . . . . . "	0	0	2



## IV.—COMMERCIAL AGENCIES.

The following Canadian Commercial Agents (whose addresses are given) will answer correspondence relative to commercial and trade matters, and give information to those interested as to local trade requirements in the districts they represent.

J. S. Larke, Sydney, N.S.W., agent for Australasia.

G. Eustace Burke, Kingston, Jamaica, agent for Jamaica.

Robert Bryson, St. John, Antigua, agent for Antigua, Montserrat and Dominica.

S. L. Horsford, St. Kitts, agent for St. Kitts, Nevis and Virgin Islands.

Edgar Tripp, Port of Spain, Trinidad, agent for Trinidad and Tobago.

C. E. Sontum, Christiana, Norway, agent for Sweden and Denmark.

D. M. Rennie, Buenos Ayres, Argentine Republic, agent for Argentine Republic and Uruguay.

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## V.—GENERAL COMMERCIAL INFORMATION.

### (A)—IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL FOODSTUFFS INTO GREAT BRITAIN.

QUANTITIES of Butter, Cheese, Bacon, Hams, Fish and Eggs, Imported into Great Britain during the *months* of April and the *four months* ended April 30, 1898, 1899 and 1900. (*From British Returns.*)

#### BUTTER.

Countries.	Month of April.			Four Months ended April 30.		
	1898.	1899.	1900.	1898.	1899.	1900.
	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.
Colonies—						
Canada .....	41	535	7	6,596	6,600	1,867
New South Wales .....	82	2,396	5,029	14,171	22,711	56,905
New Zealand .....	13,319	18,175	25,070	61,913	78,618	112,175
Victoria .....	175	8,651	3,900	76,617	100,152	150,671
Totals .....	13,617	29,757	34,006	159,327	208,081	321,618
Foreign Countries—						
Denmark .....	122,885	129,488	146,605	476,143	496,449	510,663
France .....	29,483	24,673	22,487	127,940	101,263	92,231
Germany .....	4,249	5,303	5,182	29,427	27,529	28,969
Holland .....	21,719	21,124	20,884	62,524	62,880	70,504
Sweden .....	21,518	20,836	15,809	105,999	90,478	66,892
United States .....	4,774	6,325	495	21,226	70,647	4,228
Other Countries .....	34,088	29,939	29,124	100,727	95,074	105,984
Totals .....	238,716	237,688	240,586	923,986	944,320	879,471
Grand totals.. ..	252,333	267,445	274,592	1,083,313	1,152,401	1,201,089

#### CHEESE.

Colonies—						
Australasia .....	15,224	9,501	18,742	35,335	15,113	52,052
Canada .....	13,514	11,379	12,416	107,260	59,697	83,925
Totals .....	28,738	20,880	31,158	142,595	74,810	135,977
Foreign Countries—						
France .....	2,903	2,403	4,822	11,529	7,903	14,129
Holland .....	18,591	22,289	23,347	80,680	92,854	100,818
United States .....	47,964	59,087	43,326	226,462	275,170	268,276
Other Countries .....	3,436	6,360	2,965	13,423	21,263	14,201
Totals .....	72,894	90,139	74,460	332,094	397,190	397,424
Grand totals.. ..	101,632	111,019	105,618	474,689	472,000	533,401

QUANTITIES of Butter, Cheese, Bacon, Hams, Fish and Eggs, Imported into Great Britain during the *months* of April and the *four months* ended April 30, 1898, 1899 and 1900. (*From British Returns.*)—*Concluded.*

## BACON.

Countries.	Month of April.			Four Months ended April 30.		
	1898.	1899.	1900.	1898.	1899.	1900.
	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.
Canada .....	11,041	19,121	30,321	52,494	80,675	124,657
Denmark .....	95,295	115,498	109,439	334,502	360,778	384,604
United States .....	399,728	348,743	340,862	1,568,099	1,531,362	1,352,066
Other Countries.....	5,348	2,160	7,024	20,542	7,373	10,968
Totals.....	511,412	485,522	478,646	1,975,637	1,980,188	1,872,295

## HAMS.

Canada .....	607	10,690	10,122	5,479	37,156	38,030
United States.....	146,633	129,684	136,009	562,397	577,147	474,995
Other Countries.....	220	232	263	733	880	1,079
Totals .....	147,460	140,606	146,394	568,609	615,183	514,104

## FISH, CURED OR SALTED.

Canada .....	88,800	56,967	72,293	279,005	132,395	144,651
Newfoundland .....		1,200	8,224	11,287	9,927	19,332
France.....	3,174	6,586	6,341	18,563	21,816	25,328
Norway.....	15,614	17,828	15,688	116,816	77,297	76,206
United States.....	78,706	88,987	68,322	224,926	191,768	140,075
Other Countries.....	13,925	15,560	6,970	70,960	63,737	84,235
Totals .....	200,219	187,128	177,838	722,157	496,940	480,727

## EGGS.

	Gt. Hd.	Gt. Hd.	Gt. Hd.	Gt. Hd.	Gt. Hd.	Gt. Hd.
Canada .....	290		200	8,960	15,400	35,342
Belgium .....	209,740	180,154	190,482	952,248	1,060,622	893,502
Denmark .....	159,948	185,962	193,083	502,768	567,648	446,282
France.....	219,911	270,103	213,538	760,710	815,102	825,896
Germany .....	232,946	283,094	250,770	1,028,302	1,437,327	1,321,908
Russia.....	15,880	66,726	61,430	31,846	133,393	68,414
Other Countries.....	79,552	68,618	96,503	345,347	290,103	998,355
Totals.....	918,267	1,054,657	1,006,006	3,630,181	4,419,595	4,610,699

QUANTITIES of Butter, Cheese, Bacon, Hams, Fish and Eggs, Imported into Great Britain during the Years ended April 30, 1898, 1899 and 1900. (*From British Returns.*)

Countries.	BUTTER.			CHEESE.		
	Years ended April 30.			Years ended April 30.		
	1898.	1899.	1900.	1898.	1899.	1900.
	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.
British Colonies—						
Canada.....	111,867	156,869	245,350	1,545,334	1,384,618	1,361,426
New South Wales.....	23,192	42,931	77,755	} *64,189	} *24,386	} *74,433
New Zealand.....	85,014	86,624	145,196			
Victoria.....	141,357	147,758	262,263			
Totals.....	361,430	434,182	730,564	1,609,523	1,409,004	1,435,859
Foreign Countries—						
Denmark.....	1,365,220	1,485,336	1,444,266			
France.....	446,065	390,144	344,910	36,888	29,460	40,533
Germany.....	41,242	39,333	38,393			
Holland.....	274,328	260,680	292,434	289,225	305,099	336,549
Sweden.....	304,949	279,441	222,013			
United States.....	122,485	116,133	92,718	636,928	534,703	583,843
Other Countries.....	276,699	263,932	273,241	41,908	58,497	53,930
Totals.....	2,830,988	2,843,999	2,707,975	1,004,949	927,759	1,014,855
Grand totals. . .	3,192,418	3,278,181	3,438,539	2,614,472	2,336,763	2,450,714
	BACON.			HAMS.		
Canada.....	292,449	564,060	497,755	116,504	148,858	151,572
Denmark.....	1,006,304	1,043,796	1,234,438			
United States.....	3,858,922	4,050,652	3,909,250	1,733,877	1,866,270	1,721,813
Other Countries..	91,686	57,365	55,247	3,069	3,498	4,157
Totals.....	5,249,361	5,715,873	5,696,690	1,853,450	2,018,626	1,877,542
	FISH, CURED OR SALTED.			EGGS.		
				Gt. Hunds.	Gt. Hunds.	Gt. Hunds.
Canada.....	410,631	255,695	241,199	573,118	751,795	666,849
Newfoundland.....	101,306	92,426	123,391			
Belgium.....				2,241,109	2,458,276	2,290,438
Denmark.....				1,897,762	2,084,388	2,144,664
France.....	77,621	78,112	104,831	2,349,655	2,169,488	2,299,356
Germany.....				2,981,428	3,230,153	3,339,567
Norway.....	355,562	238,482	273,605			
Russia.....				3,014,653	3,747,450	4,274,622
United States.....	303,725	238,955	199,351			
Other Countries.....	267,142	310,846	271,027	625,710	772,446	1,350,408
Totals.....	1,515,987	1,214,516	1,213,404	13,683,375	15,213,996	16,365,864

\* Australasia.

## (B).—INQUIRIES RELATING TO CANADIAN TRADE.

The following inquiries were received by the department since the publication of the last monthly Report:—

1. **Inquiries at the office of the High Commissioner for Canada in London, Eng., where further particulars may be obtained:**

1. An important firm of manufacturers of colours, paints and varnishes is desirous of being placed in communication with buying agents in Canada.

2. The manufacturers of a special kind of digestible biscuit desire to extend their business and to include Canada among the countries to which they export.

3. A firm of exporters of provisions, tinned goods, jam, sauce, pickles, chemicals, &c., desires to appoint agents at various points in Canada.

4. A Copenhagen (Denmark) firm asks to be placed in communication with a first rate exporter of wooden handles from Canada. It is willing to take up any other article suitable for the Scandinavian and Baltic market, and offer a good reference.

5. A Colombo (Ceylon) firm has mica (in lumps and uncleaned), plumbago, cinnamon oil, cocoanut oil, coir-yarn, &c., for sale, and offers samples and quotations to Canadian buyers.

6. A well-known firm of pyrotechnists offers to furnish catalogues of their manufactures to parties interested.

7. The names of Canadian exporters of carriage wheels are asked for by a Liverpool firm.

8. A Bradford house inquires for the names of seed-crushing firms in Canada.

9. A Canadian firm packing canned apples, tomatoes and lobsters asks to be placed in touch with English houses who deal in these lines.

10. The names of Canadian firms making 3-ply hardwood (i.e. one thick and two thin veneers cemented together) are asked for.

11. The same inquirer wishes to correspond with Canadian lumber merchants who can sell large quantities of spruce-wood boxes (planed and unplaned) cut to size and packed in bales.

12. The inventor of a machine for converting peat into hard condensed blocks in ten hours after digging, and also for converting it into excellent charcoal, is open to sell the rights for Canada and desires to get into communication with a good firm who would be willing to take the matter up.

13. A firm of good standing accustomed to receiving products for sale on consignment, also to buying and shipping a great variety of British goods, and for conducting general agency business for colonial houses is open to act as the English branch or as London representatives of a Canadian society, institution, firm, or private individual.

14. The names and addresses of the principal soap and candle manufacturers in Canada are asked for.

15. A Canadian firm asks to be furnished with the addresses of a few large manufacturers of flags in Great Britain.

16. A firm in Canada manufacturing and exporting architectural sheet metal building materials, metallic roofing, &c., wishes to correspond with likely importers of such goods in the United Kingdom.

17. The manufacturers in Canada of bath rims, closet seats and tanks and other sanitary appliances desire to be placed in communication with English houses using these goods.

18. A Scotch firm desires to be placed in touch with the best buyers in Canada of iron and steel plates, bars, angles, &c., for shipbuilding and engineering purposes; also, with users of firebricks and fireclay.

19. A firm doing a large business in cattle bones, hoofs, oils, hair and other animal products is open to buy further supplies from Canada and desires to be placed in communication with exporters.

20. A timber house who are buyers of large quantities of mouldings and ready-made sashes and frames, which might be worked from pine, red pine or bass wood, desire to correspond with large makers in Canada.

21. A north of England firm, manufacturers of sheet lead, water and gas pipes inquires for large producers of Canadian pig lead.

22. A Canadian firm manufacturing vehicle wheels desires to correspond with a responsible firm of brokers handling carriage and wagon wheels.

23. A correspondent in Toronto desires to obtain information concerning a new metal called 'Albradium,' and would like to correspond with the manufacturers.

24. A gentleman having a mica property and who is also interested in an extensive deposit of the oxide of iron in the same district, desires to correspond with parties interested in these minerals as well as molybdenite.

**2. Inquiries at the office of the Curator, Canadian Section, Imperial Institute, London, Eng., from whom further information may be obtained :**

1. A Midlands firm of manufacturers of hampers and baskets of all kinds seeks a reliable Canadian representative.

2. A north country house wishes to hear from Canadian manufacturers of organs not already represented in the United States.

3. A correspondent in Malta asks for names of Canadian manufacturers of jams of good quality.

4. Inquiry is made for the names of responsible Canadian leather merchants who would be open to buy English manufactured leathers.

5. An inquiry is to hand for samples of Canadian Albertite canned coal, together with particulars as to analysis, supplies, &c.

6. A Canadian manufacturer of wheels, hubs, shafts, &c., asks to be placed in touch with large United Kingdom importers.

7. A Canadian firm is open to supply cedar hop poles, and invites correspondence.

8. A Canadian firm manufacturing all kinds of wooden hay rakes, hoe and mop handles, is prepared to furnish samples and quotations.

9. A Canadian manufacturer of wood mantles, seats, &c., desires names of importers.

10. A Canadian manufacturer of biscuits of all kinds, confectionery and pickles would like to establish export relations.

11. A large firm, Cardiff, Wales, requests the names of persons in Canada who are able to furnish 'fir pitwood' with the bark adhering, for use in collieries. The dimensions in use are as below :

Lengths,  $6\frac{1}{2}$  feet ; diameter at small end, 3 to 8 in.

"	9	"	"	"	4 to 10 in.
"	13	"	"	"	8 to 12 in.

### (C.)—BICYCLE TRADE OF NEW ZEALAND.

The importation of bicycles and bicycle materials into New Zealand during the calendar year 1899 presents some very interesting features. The number of machines imported from year to year shows a considerable decrease, the numbers imported during years 1897 to 1899 were 11,497, 8,013 and 6,841 respectively ; showing a reduction of over 40 per cent in two years. The importation of bicycle materials do not show such a change, however, the value imported in 1899 was \$267,662 as against \$312,177 in 1897. The proportion of bicycle materials to the complete machine shows a wonderful change, the value of the importation of the former being less than half the value of the latter, for the year 1897, the figures being \$312,177 to \$617,653, whereas in the year 1899 the figures approached pretty closely, the value of the imports of the former was \$267,662 while the value of the latter was \$280,398. From the above it is evident that the locally made, or put together, machine is gradually displacing the complete

machine. The following statement shows the importation of bicycles and bicycle materials into New Zealand during the calendar years 1897 to 1899.

Calendar Year and Country.	Bicycles complete.		Bicycle Materials.
	Quantity.	Value.	Value.
1897.	No.	\$	\$
Great Britain .....	6,057	333,342	179,429
United States .....	3,041	149,485	35,604
Australasia .....	1,361	80,791	86,709
Canada .....	985	50,672	10,161
Other countries .....	53	3,363	274
Totals, year 1897 .....	11,497	617,653	312,177
1898.			
Great Britain .....	2,523	131,341	156,716
United States .....	2,888	112,892	31,054
Australasia .....	1,209	65,261	116,410
Canada .....	1,358	59,368	12,181
Other countries .....	35	2,002	1,169
Totals, year 1898 .....	8,013	370,864	317,530
1899.			
Great Britain .....	1,867	91,474	121,048
United States .....	3,336	116,245	26,932
Australasia .....	784	36,986	115,082
Canada .....	843	35,210	3,187
Other countries .....	11	483	1,413
Totals, year 1899 .....	6,841	280,398	267,662

#### (D.)—INQUIRIES FROM FOREIGN BUYERS.

The following extract from the *Export Implement Age* contains information that appears worthy the attention of the manufacturers of Canada, although expressly written for the benefit of the American manufacturer.

Most of the inquiries received from abroad are from buyers who would be pleased to enter into business relations with American implement manufacturers, if they can secure the goods desired at prices which will allow them to be sold in foreign countries at a reasonable profit. Inasmuch as the cost of shipping the goods from the factory to destination is an important item in estimating the expense involved, foreign dealers desire prices to be quoted f. o. b. New York or f. o. b. nearest point of embarkation, and also f. o. b. nearest point of destination. That is to say, buyers abroad wish to know as nearly as possible what the goods will cost delivered at their doors. The Japanese—in fact all merchants in the Orient, will not consider quotations unless they include the cost of freight and insurance. In quoting prices for export business manufacturers should make it a rule to give c. i. f. rather than f. o. b. rates, inasmuch as the former are preferred by all foreign merchants.

## (E).—TRADE OF NEW ZEALAND IN 1899.

TABLE 1.—Return showing the Values of the Trade of New Zealand during the Calendar Years 1870 to 1899, inclusive.

Calendar Years.	Total Trade.	Imports.	Exports.	Imports, excluding Specie.	Exports, excluding Specie.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Average, 1870-74.....	53,147,698	27,688,077	25,459,621	26,719,567	25,341,862
" 1875-79.....	66,796,362	37,996,996	28,799,866	37,553,397	28,179,246
" 1880-84.....	69,223,805	36,856,488	32,372,817	35,763,478	31,755,219
" 1885-89.....	68,331,212	31,862,271	36,468,941	30,243,647	35,566,870
1890.....	78,218,259	39,467,888	47,750,371	28,853,955	47,057,337
1891.....	78,208,530	31,652,065	46,556,465	31,298,025	46,529,513
1892.....	80,192,480	33,789,539	46,402,941	32,813,714	46,189,143
1893.....	77,364,811	33,636,039	43,728,772	31,605,491	42,246,778
1894.....	77,959,458	33,035,030	44,924,428	29,152,194	44,878,209
1895.....	72,758,385	31,147,295	41,611,090	29,764,304	41,454,846
1896.....	80,097,663	34,734,957	45,362,711	34,238,844	45,259,547
1897.....	87,951,450	39,202,035	48,749,365	38,905,111	47,407,280
1898.....	91,242,963	40,055,587	51,187,381	39,962,190	50,855,878
1899.....	100,632,778	42,532,881	58,099,897	41,919,792	58,027,320

TABLE 2.—RETURN showing the Values of the Imports into and Exports from New Zealand to the Undermentioned Countries in the Calendar Years 1890, 1894 and 1899.

	IMPORTS.			EXPORTS.		
	1890.	1894.	1899.	1890.	1894.	1899.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Great Britain . . . . .	20,543,514	19,222,214	26,896,339	36,019,903	38,463,666	45,880,573
British Possessions.—						
Australasia. . . . .	5,292,953	8,472,696	6,505,896	7,953,340	4,235,947	8,312,442
Canada . . . . .	19,963	74,786	307,817	380	380	30,967
Other British Poss. . . . .	1,916,683	2,323,970	3,098,699	367,804	266,464	661,087
Totals, British Poss. . . . .	7,229,599	10,871,452	9,912,412	8,321,144	4,502,791	9,004,496
Foreign Countries.—						
Germany. . . . .	244,808	331,727	781,611	11,694	31,020	136,398
United States . . . . .	1,729,589	1,920,829	3,773,170	2,837,919	1,397,687	2,109,695
Other Foreign Countries . . . . .	720,373	688,808	1,169,349	559,711	524,264	968,735
Totals, F'n. Countries. . . . .	2,694,775	2,941,364	5,724,130	3,409,324	1,957,971	3,214,828
Recapitulation.						
Great Britain . . . . .	20,543,514	19,222,214	26,896,339	36,019,903	38,463,666	45,880,573
British Possessions. . . . .	7,229,599	10,871,452	9,912,412	8,321,144	4,502,791	9,004,496
Foreign Countries. . . . .	2,694,775	2,941,364	5,724,130	3,409,324	1,957,971	3,214,828
Grand totals. . . . .	30,467,888	33,035,030	42,532,881	47,750,371	44,924,428	58,099,897

TABLE 3.—Return showing the Values of the Imports of Principal Articles into New Zealand during the Calendar Years 1890, 1894 and 1899, together with the portion taken from Great Britain, the United States and Canada during the Year 1899, of the articles mentioned.

Groups of Principal Articles Imported.	IMPORTS DURING CALENDAR YEARS.					
	1890.	1894.	1899.			
	Total Value.	Total Value.	Total Value.	From Great Britain.	From United States.	From Canada.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Apparel and slops.....	1,553,610	1,468,633	1,915,953	1,777,808	38,262	3,047
Boots and shoes.....	619,872	678,681	737,753	574,753	100,059	7,300
Cotton piece goods.....	1,522,950	1,666,571	2,177,809	2,025,419	40,758	53,407
Drapery.....	1,533,822	1,434,693	1,925,721	1,879,146	4,190	1,295
Haberdashery.....	432,866	347,991	412,732	372,027	8,093	.....
Hats and caps.....	238,111	227,687	331,829	321,808	725	.....
Hosiery.....	334,861	288,287	440,652	429,965	15	.....
Linen mfs.....	207,344	213,408	336,613	322,052	161	136
Millinery.....	104,069	114,269	179,735	167,983	5	.....
Silks.....	373,794	282,096	426,510	360,250	24	83
Woolens.....	732,702	869,518	1,447,284	1,347,848	10	170
Totals.....	7,654,001	7,591,834	10,332,591	9,579,059	192,302	65,438
Agricultural implements..	46,730	19,184	83,040	29,949	26,698	17,413
Bicycles.....	11,198	65,885	280,398	91,474	116,245	35,210
Bicycle materials.....	.....	.....	267,662	121,048	26,932	3,187
Cutlery.....	81,692	82,310	96,185	89,581	949	.....
Hardw're and ironmongery	803,769	833,071	1,244,412	945,773	198,657	214
Rails, and railway bolts, &c.	339,095	163,243	309,312	287,892	12,113	.....
Iron and steel, other	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pig, wrought, wire, &c.	1,716,663	1,725,710	3,076,619	2,592,259	299,348	.....
Machinery.....	951,273	760,168	1,973,682	1,099,244	424,616	147,231
Nails.....	133,386	136,111	152,633	45,800	69,072	.....
Railway plant.....	59,038	43,036	310,527	302,341	7,932	.....
Sewing machines.....	114,517	106,079	149,898	30,285	64,064	.....
Tools, artificers.....	208,925	200,488	287,454	183,273	89,055	112
Totals.....	4,466,286	4,137,285	8,231,822	5,818,919	1,336,581	203,367
Sugar.....	1,866,902	2,239,012	1,727,302	3,616	4,010	.....
Tea.....	749,744	666,665	893,962	5,202	.....	.....
Totals.....	2,616,646	2,905,677	2,621,264	8,818	4,010	.....
Beer.....	263,598	191,713	190,608	170,275	10,254	.....
Spirits.....	705,248	747,325	1,049,667	850,902	6,180	1,956
Tobacco.....	501,578	607,151	896,308	152,628	557,340	.....
Wine.....	245,450	196,672	251,315	121,885	988	.....
Totals.....	1,715,874	1,742,861	2,387,898	1,295,690	574,762	1,956
Paper.....	544,561	570,660	650,346	409,014	190,739	3,888
Printed books.....	512,674	513,905	594,998	437,245	88,987	1,611
Stationery.....	325,059	348,084	490,925	390,739	30,937	579
Totals.....	1,382,294	1,432,649	1,745,269	1,236,998	310,663	6,078
Bags and sacks.....	291,474	304,152	601,501	1,908	.....	.....
Coals.....	497,208	511,930	451,699	243	.....	.....
Fancy goods.....	290,759	346,783	535,888	372,260	31,594	180
Fruits, (including preserv-	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
ed, bottled and dried) ..	528,569	651,301	878,871	111,251	69,053	277
Fish.....	131,862	132,714	151,255	91,848	37,862	8,447
Oils.....	543,704	543,383	617,906	161,943	272,771	876
Other import, excluding	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
specie.....	8,735,278	8,851,625	13,363,828	8,214,862	943,572	21,198
Totals.....	11,018,854	11,341,888	16,600,948	8,954,315	1,354,852	30,978
Total imports, excluding	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
specie.....	28,853,955	29,152,194	41,919,792	26,803,799	3,773,170	307,617
Specie.....	1,613,933	3,882,836	613,089	2,540	.....	.....
Total imports.....	30,467,888	33,035,030	42,532,881	26,896,339	3,773,170	307,817



TABLE 4.—Return showing the Quantities and Values by Classes and Principal Articles of the Produce and Manufacture of New Zealand Exported during the Calendar Years 1890, 1894 and 1899.

	EXPORTS DURING CALENDAR YEARS					
	1890.		1894.		1899.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
The Mine—		£		£		£
Gold..... ozs.	187,641	3,656,619	221,614	4,320,943	389,570	7,364,143
Silver..... "	32,637	29,988	54,177	32,592	349,338	198,745
Other.....		398,556		368,996		438,403
Totals.....		4,085,163		4,722,531		8,001,291
The Fisheries.....		84,704		48,526		117,812
The Forest—						
Gum (kauri)..... tons.	7,438	1,842,340	8,338	1,968,893	11,116	2,958,539
Timber..... ft.	42,098,863	884,244	31,901,415	565,098	50,425,741	957,512
Other.....		105,948		72,308		63,632
Totals.....		2,832,532		2,606,299		3,979,683
Animals and produce—						
Butter..... cwt.	34,816	597,145	60,771	1,222,896	136,086	2,782,755
Cheese..... "	40,451	413,599	55,655	560,635	69,440	690,182
Meats, preserved..... "	59,846	662,752	30,078	278,982	48,053	442,429
" frozen..... "	898,894	5,293,069	1,025,243	5,813,452	1,865,827	10,165,765
Skins..... No.	14,835,814	1,142,061	16,948,937	1,219,767	12,851,702	1,709,160
Tallow..... cwt.	173,300	790,692	199,400	995,228	338,620	1,516,692
Wool..... lbs.	102,817,077	20,199,582	144,295,154	23,491,478	147,169,497	21,046,518
Other.....		759,599		542,584		636,214
Totals.....		29,858,499		34,125,042		38,980,715
Agricultural products—						
Oats..... bush.	3,019,159	639,465	1,963,288	762,577	3,520,734	1,392,363
Wheat..... "	4,467,026	3,271,602	228,904	133,575	2,901,676	1,647,250
Other.....		2,366,271		649,719		1,406,953
Totals.....		6,277,338		1,545,921		4,446,566
Manufactures—						
Leather..... cwt.	13,724	330,768	17,707	443,733	17,365	478,486
Phormium..... tons.	21,158	1,858,040	4,677	322,446	10,371	897,467
Other.....		477,867		328,617		463,969
Totals.....		2,666,675		1,094,796		1,839,922
Miscellaneous.....		81,726		71,272		59,412
Total Exports (colonial produce and manufacture).....		45,886,637		44,214,387		57,425,401
Specie.....		1,179,699		46,219		72,577
Foreign exports.....		684,035		663,822		601,919
Total exports (home and foreign).....		47,750,371		44,924,428		58,099,897

(F.)--*Re* STATISTICS OF TRINIDAD.

STATEMENT showing the Revenue and Expenditure, Imports and Exports, and the Number and Tonnage of Vessels entered, during the Calendar Years 1890 to 1899.

Calendar Years.	Revenue.	Expenditure.	Imports.	Exports.	VESSELS ENTERED.			
					Number.		Tonnage.	
	\$	\$	\$	\$	Sail.	Steam.	Sail.	Steam.
1890.....	2,280,325	2,312,854	10,944,611	10,606,569	2,143	473	141,355	498,868
1891.....	2,398,215	2,442,497	10,204,411	10,019,303	2,075	448	150,223	422,090
1892.....	2,744,722	2,761,925	10,168,316	10,989,240	2,231	441	148,497	434,721
1893.....	2,664,008	2,581,027	11,051,640	11,294,677	2,074	448	139,200	498,802
1894.....	2,851,404	2,617,172	10,477,030	9,736,640	2,044	473	129,919	504,491
1895.....	2,914,617	2,946,835	11,080,738	10,050,173	2,043	474	126,124	522,135
1896.....	3,014,082	2,893,078	11,989,155	10,540,324	2,380	437	127,819	495,422
1897.....	2,975,645	3,062,905	10,513,091	9,708,640	2,462	454	139,954	533,369
1898.....	2,994,806	2,632,633	11,110,862	11,242,616	2,222	415	112,866	470,239
1899.....	.....	.....	12,341,696	12,521,403	2,098	483	116,389	515,742

STATEMENT showing the Quantities of the following Articles (Colonial Produce) Exported during the Calendar Years 1890 to 1899.

Calendar Years.	Sugar.	Cocoa.	Cocoanuts.	Molasses.	Rum.	Asphalt.	Bitters.
	Lbs.	Lbs.	No.	Galls.	Galls.	Tons.	Cases.
1890.....	115,239,227	21,552,593	12,739,904	2,024,884	20,469	78,842	43,266
1891.....	101,401,371	16,188,493	14,334,054	1,535,415	15,386	95,990	35,764
1892.....	110,582,080	25,041,635	13,922,171	1,895,773	3,820	112,224	42,567
1893.....	101,140,361	19,106,553	11,965,969	1,250,968	82,110	90,204	38,848
1894.....	104,986,406	21,608,384	13,229,619	1,246,948	71,862	99,193	31,018
1895.....	122,353,755	29,454,813	10,211,320	1,498,215	178,167	89,076	40,129
1896.....	120,562,942	23,481,848	12,458,164	1,378,245	96,151	96,385	31,646
1897.....	110,026,245	23,840,665	11,949,138	680,761	99,569	124,672	40,145
1898.....	113,576,950	24,340,960	12,240,306	660,535	86,464	100,196	33,989
1899.....	116,923,520	29,225,504	12,793,639	1,591,408	140,273	135,800	38,843

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