DEBT OF CANADA.

THE FOLLOWING IS A STATEMENT OF THE DEBT OF CANADA AT JULY 1ST, 1874.

(Cents omitted for brevity.)

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Liabilities, without interest		23,893,441
do	at 4 p. c.	22,000,630
do	at 5 p. c.	47,595,975
do	at 6 p. c	47,714,560
Total debt		141,204,608
Total interest		6,122,697
Average rate of int., 4.33 p c.		
Assets, without interest		21,449,964
do	at varying rates	301,756
do	at 5 p. c.	9,484,505
do	at 6 p. c.	1,368,417
Total assets		32,604,643
Total interest		556,330
Average rate of int., 1.70 p.c.		
Total debt		141,204,608
Total assets		32,604,643
Net debt		108,599,964
Total interest on debt		6,122,697
Total interest on assets		556 830
		5,565,867

Net debt *per capita* of the population of the Dominion at July 1st, 1874, at the rate of increase established by the census of 1871 ..... 28 5
Net interest, " " " 1.46.

CAPITAL EXPENDITURE.

The total capital expenditure of the Dominion since Confederation, that is from 1867-68 to 1873-74 is $46,544,211.

The total capital expenditure paid from income during this period was $13,475,074.

The capital expenditure which is now commencing for the enlargement of the canals of Canada and the construction of the Pacific Railway will add materially to the public debt of Canada; but it is confidently anticipated that the corresponding increase to the wealth and population of Canada will be such as not to cause material if any addition to the burdens of the people, which are now very light, being among the lightest of any civilized nation of the earth.

Members of the Governments and Legislatures.

The following are the members of the Governments and Legislatures of the Dominion and the several Provinces:—

THE GOVERNMENT OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA.

Governor General.

His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir FREDERICK TEMPLE, Earl of Dufferin, Viscount and Baron Clandeboye of Clandeboye in the County Down in the Peerage of the United Kingdom, Baron Dufferin and Clandeboye of Ballyleidy and Killeleagh in the County Down, in the Peerage of Ireland and a Baronet, one of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, Knight of the Most Illustrious Order of St. Patrick and Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor General of Canada and Vice Admiral of the same.

The Queen's Privy Council for Canada.

THE CABINET.

(*Formed 7th November*, 1873)

The Hon. ALEXANDER MACKENZIE, Premier, and Minister of Public Works.

The Hon. TELESPHORE FOURNIER, Minister of Justice and Attorney General.

The Hon. ALBERT J. SMITH, Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

The Hon. LOUIS LETELLIER DE ST. JUST, Minister of Agriculture and Statistics.

The Hon. RICHARD J. CARTWRIGHT, Minister of Finance.

The Hon. DAVID LAIRD, Minister of the Interior.

The Hon. LUCIUS SETH HUNTINGTON President of the Council.

The Hon. RICHARD W. SCOTT, Secretary of State.

The Hon. ISAAC BURPEE, Minister of Customs.

The Hon. DONALD A. MACDONALD, Post Master General.

The Hon. THOMAS COFFIN, Receiver General.

The Hon. FELIX GEOFFRION, Minister of Inland Revenue.

The Hon. WILLIAM B. VAIL, Minister of Militia.

Members of the Privy Council not now holding office.

The Rt. Hon. Sir JOHN A. MACDONALD, P.C., K.C.B., &c.

The Hon. SAMUEL L. TILLEY, C. B.

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The Hon. WILLIAM P. HOWLAND, C. B.

The Hon. ADAMS G. ARCHIBALD, C. M. G.

The Hon. PETER MITCHELL.

The Hon. ALEXANDER CAMPBELL.