

NEW BRUNSWICK.

Religions.	Persons.		Increase or Decrease.		Rate per cent.	
	1871.	1881.	Numerical.	Centesimal.	Population of Province.	Total Population, 1881.
Catholic, Roman.....	96,016	109,091	13,075	13·6	33·9	2·52
Baptists.....	70,597	81,092	10,495	14·8	25·2	1·87
Church of England.	45,481	46,768	1,287	2·8	14·5	1·08
Presbyterians.....	38,852	42,888	4,036	10·4	13·3	·99
Methodists	31,275	34,514	3,239	10·3	10·7	·79
Disciples		1,476	1,476		·4	·03
Congregational.....	1,193	1,372	179	15·0	·4	·03
Adventists.....	711	738	27	3·8	·2	·01
Universalists	590	375	—215	—36·4	·1	
Episcopal, Reformed		478	478		·1	·01
Lutherans	82	324	242	295·1	·1	
Brethren.	2	164	162			
Unitarians	21	140	119	566·6		
No Religion	131	114	—17	—12·9		
Protestants.....	63	50	—13	—20·6		
Jews	48	55	7	14·6		
Quakers.....	26	21	—5	—19·2		
Pagans.....		2	2			
Other Denominations.....	114	311				
Not given.....	392	1,260	868	221·4	·3	·02

39. Roman Catholics comprised 33·9 per cent. of the population of this Province. Baptists had the second largest following, and amounted to 25·2 per cent. Presbyterians and Methodists had both severally increased. The Church of England came numerically third in the list, but showed little increase, only 2·8 per cent. Universalists, it will be seen, had largely decreased.