

45. The following table gives the total number of each religion in the Dominion, and the relative proportion of each to the whole population. It will be seen that Roman Catholics comprised 41·43 per cent. or nearly one-half of the entire population, the greater portion of the remainder being taken up by the Methodists, Presbyterians and Church of England.

## SUMMARY.

## RELIGIONS of the People, 1881.

Religions.	Persons.	Rate per cent. to Population of the Dominion.	Religions.	Persons.	Rate per cent. to Population of the Dominion.
Roman Catholics .....	1,791,982	41·43	Quakers.....	6,553	·15
Methodists.....	742,981	17·17	Protestants.....	6,519	·15
Presbyterians.....	676,165	15·63	Universalists .....	4,517	·10
Church of England.....	574,818	13·29	Pagans .....	4,478	·10
Baptists .....	296,525	6·85	No religion.....	2,634	·06
Lutherans.....	46,350	1·07	Reformed Episcopal.....	2,596	·06
Congregationalists .....	26,900	·62	Jews .....	2,393	·05
Disciples .....	20,193	·47	Unitarians.....	2,126	·04
Brethren .....	8,831	·21	Other Denominations....	14,269	·33
Adventists .....	7,211	·16	Not given.....	86,769	2·06

45. Combining the Protestant creeds so as to obtain the total number of Protestants in the Dominion and contrasting them with Roman Catholics, Jews and Pagans, the proportions given in the following table are arrived at.

## ROMAN Catholics, Protestants, Jews and Pagans, in 1881.

Numbers .					Proportions per cent.			
Roman Catholics.	Protestants.	Jews	Pagans.	Total.	Roman Catholics.	Protestants.	Jews.	Pagans.
1,791,982	2,439,188	2,393	91,247	4,324,810	41·43	56·41	·05	2·11

47. Those of "no religion" are included among Protestants, and as the majority of those "not given" were Indians, all under that head are included with Pagans.