

QUEBEC—*Concluded.*

Cities and Towns.	1871.			1881.			Increase.				
	Total.	Males	Fe- males.	Total.	Males.	Fe- males.	Numerical.		Rate per cent.		
							Males.	Fe- males.	Ma- les.	Fe- ma- les.	To- tal.
TOWNS—<i>Concluded.</i>											
Iberville.....	1,497	787	710	1,847	915	932	128	222	16·2	31·2	23·3
Farnham.....	1,317	657	660	1,880	926	954	269	294	40·9	44·5	42·7
Longueuil.	2,083	972	1,111	2,355	1,128	1,227	156	116	16·0	10·4	13·0
St. Jean.	3,022	1,427	1,595	4,314	2,057	2,257	630	662	44·1	41·5	42·7
Sherbrooke.....	4,432	2,191	2,241	7,227	3,548	3,679	1,357	1,438	61·9	64·1	63·0
Beauharnois.....	1,423	702	721	1,499	697	802	—5	81	—·7	11·2	5·3
Chicoutimi.....	1,393	715	678	1,935	992	943	277	265	38·7	39·0	38·8
Berthier.	1,433	685	748	2,156	1,039	1,117	354	369	51·6	49·3	50·4
Joliette.....	3,047	1,511	1,536	3,268	1,615	1,653	104	117	6·8	7·6	7·2
Lachine.....	1,696	783	913	2,406	1,072	1,334	289	421	36·9	46·1	41·8
Terrebonne.....	1,050	492	558	1,398	668	730	176	172	35·7	30·8	33·1
St. Jérôme.....	1,159	569	590	2,032	1,007	1,025	438	435	76·9	73·7	75·3
	43,951	21,537	22,414	57,541	28,036	29,505	6,499	7,091	30·1	31·6	30·9
CITIES.											
Quebec.....	59,699	27,962	31,737	62,446	28,923	33,523	961	1,786	3·4	5·6	4·6
Three Rivers.....	8,414	4,082	4,332	9,296	4,480	4,816	398	484	9·7	11·1	10·4
Hull.....	2,031	1,031	1,000	6,890	3,576	3,314	2,545	2,314	24·6	23·1	23·9
St. Hyacinthe.....	3,746	1,736	2,010	5,321	2,541	2,780	805	770	16·3	38·3	42·0
	73,890	34,811	39,079	83,953	39,520	44,433	4,709	5,354	13·5	13·7	13·6

73. Between the censuses of 1871 and 1881 the city of Montreal, with its suburbs, gained in population 54,701, being almost one-third of the total increase of the Province. The city of Quebec advanced but very slightly, having only added 2,747 to its population. The growth of Hull was very rapid, having about trebled its numbers since 1871. All the towns in this Province increased their population more or less. A decrease will be noticed in Beauharnois of 5 males, and an increase of 81 females. In Quebec city, females bore the large proportion of 115·90 per 100 males. The total urban population, more than half of which were living in Montreal, formed 22 per cent. of the population of the Province, and the urban percentage of increase was very much higher than the rural—being 33·6 per cent. against 9·3 per cent. In 1884 the population of Montreal was equal to 12·48 per cent. of that of the whole Province.