

## MALES AT THE SOLDIERS' AGE IN MANITOBA—1881 AND 1886.

AGES.	1881.	Number in 10,000 Per- sons Living.	1886.	Number in 10,000 Per- sons Living.
18 to 30 years.....	11,787	1,787	15,081	1,388
30 to 45 " .....	6,587	998	11,507	1,059
45 to 60 " .....	2,873	435	4,645	427

The number of persons therefore liable to be called on for active service (subject as above mentioned) in Manitoba in 1886 was 31,233. There was a decrease as compared with 1881 in the proportions at the 1st and 3rd periods, and a small increase at the 2nd period.

Occupiers of lands and lands occupied Manitoba 1886.

117. The next table is a statement of the number of occupiers of land in Manitoba in 1886, together with the number of acres of land occupied :

## CENSUS OF MANITOBA—1886.

## OCCUPIERS OF LANDS, AND LANDS OCCUPIED.

DISTRICT.	Total Occu- piers.	OCCUPIERS OF			Total Occupied Acres.	Total Cul- tivated Acres.
		160 Acres and under.	161 Acres to 320.	321 Acres and over.		
Selkirk.....	7,915	3,673	3,744	498	2,060,337	416,148
Marquette .....	4,588	2,065	2,158	365	1,249,729	218,596
Provencher.....	2,033	1,296	624	113	366,549	71,633
Lisgar .....	2,981	2,197	625	159	493,265	45,362
Winnipeg city .....	54	54	.....	.....	1,344	532
Manitoba .....	17,571	9,285	7,161	1,135	4,171,324	752,571

Increase in cultivated area.

118. The total number of occupiers in 1881 was 9,077; of acres occupied, 2,384,837, and of acres cultivated, 250,416. The largest proportion of increase therefore has been in