

exception of from 7th November, 1873, to 17th October, 1878, Sir John A. Macdonald has been in power during the whole period.

Departmental
changes.

59. In 1879 a Bill was passed dividing the office of the Minister of Public Works, the new Department assuming exclusive control of Railways and Canals; and in the same Session the office of Receiver-General was abolished.

Cabinet
Ministers
since 1867.

60. The following are the names of members from time to time composing the Ministries, with the dates of their appointments :—

LIST OF MEMBERS OF THE SEVERAL MINISTRIES SINCE
CONFEDERATION.

FIRST MINISTRY.

Office.	Name.	Date of Appointment.	
Premier	Rt. Hon. Sir John A. Macdonald, G.C.B.	July	1, 1867
Minister of Justice and Attorney-General.....	Rt. Hon. Sir John A. Macdonald, G.C.B.	July	1, 1867
Minister of Finance....	Hon. Sir A. T. Galt.....	July	1, 1867
	“ Sir John Rose.....	Nov.	30, 1867
	“ Sir Francis Hincks	Oct.	9, 1869
	“ Sir S. L. Tilley.....	Feb.	22, 1873
Minister of Public Works	Hon. W. MacDougall.....	July	1, 1867
	“ Sir Hector Langevin.....	Dec.	9, 1869
Minister of Militia and Defence	Hon. Sir George E. Cartier.....	July	1, 1867
	“ Hugh McDonald.....	“	1, 1873
Minister of Customs...	Hon. Sir S. L. Tilley.....	July	1, 1867
	“ Sir Charles Tupper.....	Feb.	22, 1873
Minister of Agriculture	Hon. J. C. Chapais.....	July	1, 1867
	“ C. Dunkin.....	Nov.	16, 1869
	“ J. H. Pope.....	Oct.	25, 1871
	“ Sir A. Campbell.....	July	1, 1867
Postmaster-General	“ John O'Connor.....	“	1, 1873
	Hon. Peter Mitchell.....	July	1, 1867
Minister of Marine and Fisheries	Hon. Peter Mitchell.....	July	1, 1867
Minister of Inland Revenue.....	Hon. W. P. Howland.....	July	1, 1867
	“ A. Morris.....	Nov	16, 1869
	“ Sir Charles Tupper.....	July	2, 1872
	“ John O'Connor.....	Mar.	4, 1873
	“ T. M. Gibbs.....	July	1, 1873
Minister of Interior.....	Hon. Sir A. Campbell	July	1, 1873