

GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURE ON THE CONSTRUCTION OF PUBLIC
WORKS OF CANADA SINCE 1ST JULY, 1867.

YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE	Railways.	Canals.	Public Buildings.	Other Public Works.	Total.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
1868.....	483,353	128,965	105,960	94,629	812,907
1869.....	282,615	126,954	113,453	60,028	583,049
1870.....	1,729,381	105,588	73,514	184,270	2,092,753
1871.....	2,946,930	133,873	410,101	249,287	3,740,190
1872.....	5,620,569	290,175	578,936	620,585	7,110,163
1873.....	5,763,268	383,916	422,030	831,837	7,401,051
1874.....	3,925,123	1,240,628	600,962	1,061,967	6,831,680
1875.....	5,018,427	1,715,310	800,812	914,197	8,448,745
1876.....	4,497,434	2,389,544	1,075,483	927,615	8,890,076
1877.....	3,209,502	4,131,396	736,240	540,804	8,617,942
1878.....	2,643,741	3,843,339	518,908	363,708	7,369,695
1879.....	2,507,053	3,064,098	372,059	380,481	6,323,691
1880.....	6,109,599	2,123,366	442,394	298,529	8,973,888
1881.....	5,577,236	2,100,243	507,949	563,388	8,748,815
1882.....	5,176,832	1,670,268	544,032	542,251	7,933,383
1883.....	11,707,619	1,857,546	675,260	877,456	15,117,880
1884.....	14,134,933	1,665,351	1,291,963	1,372,823	18,465,069
1885.....	11,241,975	1,572,918	1,030,988	1,208,274	15,054,154
1886.....	4,480,833	1,333,422	117,346	451,890	6,383,491
1887.....	3,270,433	1,783,698	1,029,859	1,525,660	7,609,650
1888.....	3,094,043	1,188,302	969,263	1,703,032	6,954,640
1889.....	3,501,279	1,145,988	1,072,312	1,568,765	7,288,344
Total.....	106,922,178	33,994,788	13,489,824	16,344,476	170,751,266

196. In addition to the large amount shown to have been expended upon construction, there has also been spent for working expenses, staff, maintenance and repairs, the sum of \$56,543,981, which amount has, however, been to a large extent provided for out of corresponding revenue.

Expenditure for working expenses.

197. The Parliament Buildings at Ottawa, which are acknowledged to be among the finest on the Continent of America, have been erected at a total cost, up to the 30th June, 1889, including the new Departmental Building on Wellington street, of \$4,744,689. The sum of \$122,535 was also expended on the construction of a building near Nepean Point for the new Government Printing Bureau.

Cost of Parliament Buildings, Ottawa.