Increase and decrease. 148. There was an increase, it will be seen, under almost every head, the decreases, where occurring, being in small amounts, the largest being in the amount received from interest on investments. The decrease in the revenue from Lighthouse and Coast Service of \$102,112 was only nominal, the amount in 1889 having included the sum of \$101,151 paid by the Imperial Government in connection with the lighthouse at Cape Race, Newfoundland.

Heads of expenditure 1889 and 1890. 149. The following is a comparative statement of the prin cipal items of ordinary expenditure in the years 1889 and 1890:—

HEADS OF EXPENDITURE—CONSOLIDATED FUND—1889 AND 1890.

HEADS OF EXPENDITURE.	Amounts Expended.		Increase.	Decrease.
	1888–89.	1889-90.		
CHARGES FOR DEBT AND SUBSIDIES.	s	s	8	\$
Interest on Public Debt	$\begin{array}{c} 10,148,932 \\ 202,276 \\ 1,736,644 \end{array}$	9,656,841 186,337 1,887,237	150,593	492,091 15,939
change Subsidies to Provinces	$71,314 \\ 4,051,428$	$\substack{44,072\\3,904,922}$		$\begin{array}{c} 27,242 \\ 146,506 \end{array}$
Total	16,210,594	15,679,409		531,185
LEGISLATION.				
Senate House of Commons Library. Election Expenses Controverted Elections. Parliamentary Printing Franchise Act Miscellaneous	147,650 419,629 32,574 11,738 1,020 71,161 17,338 60	139,648 445,715 32,053 5,071 750 75,872 233,078	26,086 4,711 215,740	8,002 521 6,667 270
Total	701,170	932,187	231,017	