

349. The number of money order offices in operation increased by 53. They are distributed among the provinces in the following order:—

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|--------------------|-----|---------------------------|----|
| Ontario..... | 560 | British Columbia..... | 34 |
| Quebec..... | 171 | Manitoba..... | 36 |
| Nova Scotia..... | 147 | The Territories..... | 24 |
| New Brunswick..... | 97 | Prince Edward Island..... | 11 |

Number of money order offices.

350. The revenue from fees, profit on exchange, &c., amounted to \$100,067; but, under the new system of keeping the accounts, no details of expenditure are available.

Money order revenue.

351. Of the total amount of orders issued in Canada, \$9,854,052 were payable in Canada and \$2,624,126 were payable in other countries, being an increase of \$494,618 and a decrease of \$14,301, respectively; and of the total transactions with other countries, \$2,624,126 were sent out of the country and \$1,984,360 came in.

Orders payable in Canada and elsewhere.

352. The next table shows the money order transactions between the Dominion and other countries since Confederation.

Money order business with other countries, 1868-1891.

MONEY ORDER TRANSACTIONS BETWEEN THE DOMINION AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1868 TO 1891.

| YEAR. | † UNITED KINGDOM. | | UNITED STATES. | | NEWFOUNDLAND. | | OTHER COUNTRIES. | |
|----------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| | Amount of Orders. | | Amount of Orders. | | Amount of Orders. | | Amount of Orders. | |
| | Issued in Canada. | Payable in Canada. | Issued in Canada. | Payable in Canada. | Issued in Canada. | Payable in Canada. | Issued in Canada. | Payable in Canada. |
| | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| 1868.... | 389,796 | 87,437 | ..... | ..... | 3,321 | 3,142 | ..... | ..... |
| 1869.... | 367,092 | 94,308 | ..... | ..... | 3,246 | 6,514 | ..... | ..... |
| 1870.... | 415,393 | 110,585 | ..... | ..... | 5,246 | 7,328 | ..... | ..... |
| 1871.... | 474,376 | 121,644 | ..... | ..... | 4,321 | 5,049 | ..... | ..... |
| 1872.... | 577,443 | 142,301 | ..... | ..... | 3,656 | 4,928 | ..... | ..... |
| 1873.... | 665,407 | 156,888 | ..... | ..... | 4,799 | 3,807 | ..... | ..... |
| 1874.... | 661,501 | 171,487 | ..... | ..... | 5,753 | 6,014 | ..... | ..... |
| 1875.... | 572,246 | 174,160 | ..... | ..... | 7,197 | 6,930 | ..... | ..... |
| 1876.... | 491,363 | 194,680 | 212,135 | 156,134 | 5,305 | 8,499 | ..... | ..... |
| 1877.... | 409,474 | 188,116 | 276,821 | 207,889 | 5,699 | 12,280 | ..... | ..... |
| 1878.... | 383,808 | 189,082 | 328,264 | 246,586 | 6,245 | 23,076 | ..... | ..... |
| 1879.... | 361,940 | 176,067 | 335,200 | 308,256 | 5,061 | 21,509 | ..... | ..... |
| 1880.... | 397,589 | 181,561 | 420,966 | 494,637 | 3,570 | 22,452 | ..... | ..... |
| 1881.... | 430,686 | 175,461 | 610,094 | 807,372 | 4,883 | 19,901 | ..... | ..... |
| 1882.... | 550,150 | 170,304 | 781,167 | 1,003,079 | 4,309 | 20,644 | ..... | ..... |
| 1883.... | 827,200 | 196,467 | 1,023,548 | 1,015,358 | 5,415 | 24,448 | ..... | ..... |
| 1884.... | 862,822 | 257,738 | 1,190,852 | 959,691 | 5,291 | 29,150 | 36,946 | 16,285 |
| 1885.... | 769,679 | 299,563 | 1,288,245 | 820,046 | 6,652 | 37,863 | 65,631 | 28,368 |
| 1886.... | 753,743 | 294,484 | 1,232,000 | 861,347 | 6,467 | 40,092 | 92,883 | 50,034 |
| 1887.... | 837,146 | 304,115 | 1,262,381 | 1,096,363 | 11,997 | 42,114 | 123,568 | 53,051 |
| 1888.... | 958,001 | 328,674 | 1,297,734 | 1,283,094 | 22,177 | 51,482 | 117,930 | 62,761 |
| 1889.... | 1,033,331 | 364,657 | 1,391,743 | 1,261,103 | 24,055 | 63,814 | 124,372 | 67,370 |
| 1890.... | 1,000,460 | 383,263 | 1,471,946 | 1,332,196 | 26,942 | 73,555 | 139,079 | 62,044 |
| 1891.... | 975,378 | 381,452 | 1,469,819 | 1,465,904 | 28,265 | 73,545 | 150,664 | 63,162 |

† Including all those British possessions and a few foreign countries between which and Canada there is not a direct money order exchange.