

the United Kingdom. It is 430,783 square miles larger than the United States without Alaska. Kingdom,
U.S. and
Canada
compared.
Area of
the world.

158. The area of the world, as estimated by Mr. E. G. Ravenstein, is 51,250,800 square miles, and its population 1,467,920,000. Canada, therefore, covers about one-fifteenth part of this surface, but contains only about one-three hundredth part of the estimated population.

159. The following are the areas of the several provinces and districts of the Dominion:—

Provinces and Districts.	Land. — Square Miles.	Water. — Square Miles.	Total. — Square Miles.
Ontario	219,650	2,350	222,000
Quebec	227,500	1,400	228,900
Nova Scotia	20,550	50	20,600
New Brunswick	28,100	100	28,200
Manitoba	64,066	9,890	73,956
British Columbia	382,300	1,000	383,300
Prince Edward Island	2,000		2,000
District of Keewatin	267,000	15,000	282,000
do Alberta	105,355	745	106,100
do Assiniboia	88,534	1,001	89,535
do Athabasca	103,300	1,200	104,500
do Saskatchewan	101,092	6,000	107,092
North-west Territories	859,600	46,400	906,000
Territory east of Keewatin and south of Hudson's Bay	194,300	2,500	196,800
Territory east of Hudson's Bay	352,300	5,700	358,000
Islands in Arctic Ocean and Hudson's Bay	300,000		300,000
Great lakes and River St. Lawrence, east to longitude 66°, not included in above areas		47,400	47,400
Total	3,315,647	140,736	3,456,383

The above table was prepared in 1891, at the request of the compiler, by the Topographical Survey Branch of the Department of the Interior. The measurements have all been made anew and checked, and may be depended upon, in so far as warranted by the present geographical knowledge of the country. No change will be made in these figures, unless based upon new information. It will be seen that Canada has an area of inland water surface which is alone 19,887 square miles larger than the combined area of Great Britain and Ireland.

160. The area of the Province of Manitoba was originally 123,200 square miles, but a large portion was taken away and added to the district of Keewatin and to Ontario in 1883. Area of
Manitoba.