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813. Chapter 4, Acts of 1871, provides that the currency of Canada shall be dollars, cents and mills, at the rate of 10 mills for a cent and 100 cents for a dollar. The British sovereign is declared in the same Act to be legal tender for \$4.8633. The currency was thus made uniform throughout Canada.

814. Silver coins, minted by order of Her Majesty for circulation in Canada, are declared to be legal tender to the amount of \$10, and copper coins similarly provided, to the amount of 25 cents. The gold eagle of the United States is also declared to be legal tender for \$10.

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