

The figures for Nova Scotia are not those of the ordinary revenue and expenditure, several items, not coming under that head, having been entered as such for convenience, and the actual revenue of the province available for ordinary purposes is less than is shown in the table. In 1888, a considerable sum, in addition to the subsidy, was received from the Dominion Government on account of a claim of the province for piers, breakwaters, &c. In Prince Edward Island, the financial year, previous to 1873, began on the 1st February and ended on the 31st of the following January, but in that year it was changed to correspond with the calendar year.

1219. The next table gives the revenue and expenditures in the United Kingdom and British possessions, principally in the year 1892, with the proportion of each per head of population.

REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES IN BRITISH POSSESSIONS.

COUNTRY.	Year.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.	
		Amount.	Per Head.	Amount.	Per Head.
		\$	\$ cts.	\$	\$ cts.
Europe—					
United Kingdom...	1893	439,924,168	11 45	439,826,776	11 44
Gibraltar.....	1892	276,110	13 78	351,290	17 53
Malta.....	1892	1,407,596	8 43	1,447,206	8 67
Asia—					
India.....	1892	433,830,644	1 96	431,555,306	1 95
Ceylon.....	1892	5,817,540	1 93	5,582,840	1 86
Straits Settlements..	1892	2,518,451	4 82	2,941,535	5 62
Labuan.....	1892	30,710	5 25	23,730	4 05
Hong Kong.....	1892	2,268,003	9 79	2,375,376	10 25
Africa—					
Mauritius.....	1891	3,636,874	9 72	3,978,354	10 63
Natal.....	1892	6,776,614	12 46	6,234,025	11 46
Cape of Good Hope.	1892	21,877,340	13 59	21,009,799	13 05
St. Helena.....	1892	37,430	9 09	36,232	8 80
Lagos.....	1892	332,982	2 88	421,030	3 64
Gold Coast.....	1892	890,960	0 59	769,439	0 51
Sierra Leone.....	1892	422,748	5 65	408,080	5 45
Gambia.....	1892	150,769	10 94	139,868	10 14
America—					
Canada.....	1893	38,168,609	7 69	36,814,053	7 42
Newfoundland.....	1892	1,909,953	9 39	1,389,237	6 83
Bermuda.....	1892	165,248	10 81	153,995	10 07
Honduras.....	1892	216,318	6 76	205,563	6 42
British Guiana.....	1892	2,743,646	10 12	2,643,505	9 75
West Indies—					
Bahamas.....	1892	290,559	6 03	307,680	6 39
Turk's Island.....	1892	38,135	8 04	36,967	7 80